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No Atal pension scheme for tax payers from Oct 1

To ensure better targeting of pension benefits to underserved sections of society, income tax payers will not be allowed to enroll in government's social security scheme -- Atal Pension Yojana -- from October 1. The Finance Ministry, however, said tax payers who have enrolled before October 1 will continue to benefit from the scheme. Currently, all citizens in the age group of 18-40 years can join the yojana through bank or post office branches | P13

HC scraps ACB, transfers cases to Lokayukta

Says Anti-Corruption Bureau was formed to shield corrupt politicians from Lokayukta

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

IN a major development that is likely to strengthen the fight against corrupt public servants, the Karnataka High Court on Thursday quashed the March 14, 2016 order of the then State government forming the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) and shifted the cases pending before the ACB to the Lokayukta.

The court while abolishing the ACB observed that the bureau had been formed as a parallel body by the political executive to shield corrupt politicians, ministers and officers from the watchful eyes of the independent quasi-judicial body, the Karnataka Lokayukta, headed by a retired judge of higher judiciary.

"If the government really intends to curb corruption, favouritism and official indiscipline, ACB should have been allowed to work under the Lokayukta, instead of the Chief Minister, as stated in the executive order. Therefore, there is more scope in the executive order for political influence and the chief minister in power can misuse the ACB to control his opponents within his party or the opposite parties. The conditions of the executive order in question clearly depicts that there is a possibility to favour the party in power or the party men," a division bench of Justice B Veerappa and Justice K S Hemalekha, observed.

The court noted that Lokayukta had created history and was a model to the entire country by making a chief minister and a minister resign from power and had sent them to prison in 2011. It had also made a Lokayukta resign over his son's involvement in corruption. This was possible because of the Karnataka Lokayukta Act and Prevention of Corruption (PC) Act.

The court said ACB had not registered any criminal cases against the ministers, MPs, MLAs and MLCs but only registered some against the authorities. CONTINUED ON: P4

CM: Will comment after discussion

Mysuru: Reacting to the High Court order, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said he would comment only after discussing the matter with the Advocate General.

Trinamool leader Anubrata Mandal after his arrest by the CBI at Bolpur in Birbhum district on Thursday | PTI

Two-day party demo

Criticising the action, Trinamool minister Chandrima Bhattacharya said the party's youth and students' wings will stage demonstrations for two days from Friday across the state

CBI arrests TMC strongman amid drama

PRONAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

TWO Central law-enforcing agencies — the CBI and the ED — on Thursday went after the Trinamool Congress, arresting its Birbhum strongman in a cattle smuggling case, and summoning eight IPS officers in connection with a coal smuggling case.

While the CBI arrested Anubrata Mondal in a dramatic raid involving 100-odd CRPF personnel from his Birbhum residence after he skipped 10 summons citing ill health, the ED asked eight IPS officers to appear at their Delhi office on staggered dates in this month.

Mondal, who began as a fish vendor and rose to become the party's district chief, was remanded in CBI custody for 10 days by an Asansol court. Outside the court, the local CPM cadre waved flags hailing the arrest, accusing Mondal of inciting violence by delivering provocative speeches.

One of his loaded one-liners in 2019 against the Opposition that questioned the lack of development in Birbhum was, "Development is standing in every road corner. If you challenge it, you will see what real development is."

In the wee hours of Thursday, CRPF personnel surrounded Mondal's house. CBI officers then went in, searched rooms and picked up Mondal. "We summoned Mondal 11 times but he turned up only once," said a CBI official. Mondal's security guard Saigal Hossain was arrested in the same case recently with the CBI finding his assets disproportionate to his known sources of income.

EXPRESS READ

Singer Shivamogga Subbanna dies at 83

Bengaluru: Noted 'sugama sangeetha' singer Shivamogga Subbanna passed away in Bengaluru on Thursday night at the age of 83. He suffered a massive heart attack when he was on his way to a private hospital | P7

Get free rides on BMTC buses on August 15

Bengaluru: To encourage people to shift to public transport, the Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation (BMTC) on Thursday announced that it will not charge bus fares for passengers from 12 am to 12 am on August 15.

Three main accused in BJP worker's murder arrested

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mangaluru

DAKSHINA Kannada police have finally managed to arrest the three main accused assailants of BJP Yuva Morcha leader Praveen Nettaru, a fortnight after the brutal murder took place.

The accused Shihabuddin alias Shihab, 33, Basheer, 29 (both from Sullia) and Riyaz Ankatadka, 27 from Subramanya were arrested near Talapady check-post on Karnataka-Kerala border around 8 pm on Thursday. While Shihab is a cocoa trader, Riyaz supplies chicken to stalls and Basheer works in a small restaurant. Another accused Shafiq's father Ibrahim had worked in Praveen's shop for three months. Shafiq knew Praveen very well. ADGP (Law and Order) Alok Kumar said the three arrested are the main accused in the case and are first-time offenders. P4

Will work two more hours every day: CM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Thursday termed the reports of leadership change in Karnataka as "baseless and false". Breaking his silence after speculation started doing the rounds since four days, the CM said instead of discussing such issues, he will dedicate two more hours every day to take up pro-people programmes as well as to strengthen the party.

Speaking to reporters before leaving for Mysuru on Thursday, Bommai said his government is stable and will continue to remain stronger.

On Thursday, Bommai stepped out of his RT Nagar residence in Bengaluru after isolating himself for five days after testing positive for Covid last week.

The CM said he will now work harder for the state and people in Karnataka. "In the coming days, I will go to people and also work to strengthen the party base in Karnataka" he said. P4

(From L) Subedar Rajendra Prasad and 3 Riflemen Manoj Kumar, D Lakshmanan, Nishant Malik

SUICIDE ATTACK
4 SOLDIERS MARTYRED

Two heavily-armed fidayeen were gunned down when they tried to storm an army camp in Rajouri, Jammu and Kashmir, on Thursday | P10

TRAGIC END

'Inspired' by movie, youth immolates self

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Tumakuru

IN a shocking incident, a youth died after immolating himself in the belief that he would get "salvation" as shown in the Telugu horror fantasy movie 'Arundhati', at Giddaaiahnapalya village in Madhugiri taluk on Thursday.

The deceased Renukaprasad, 23, doused himself with petrol and set himself afire on the outskirts of the village on Wednesday evening. Some passersby with the help of a few Kannada activists shifted him to a hospital from where he was referred to Victoria Hospital in Bengaluru. He succumbed to the 60 per cent burns he had suffered, at the hospital on Thursday.

Renukaprasad was a topper at the government school in Puravara village in SSLC exams, following which his family members moved him to Tumakuru for higher studies. After clearing first year PUC, he dropped out due to his addiction to watching movies. He watched 'Arundhati' many times, in which the protagonist dies by her will and is reborn to take revenge on the enemy. P7

NATIONWIDE	AUG 10	AUG 11
Fresh cases	16,047	16,299
Recoveries	19,539	19,431
Deaths	54	53
KARNATAKA	**AUG 10**	**AUG 11**
Fresh cases	1,680	1,691
Recoveries	2,114	1,982
Deaths	5	6

JAB-O-METER

TAKE YOUR SHOT

Aug 10: 21,80,642 doses

Aug 11: 14,02,341 doses

TOTAL DOSES: 2,07,45,11,199

Shri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

NAVA KARNATAKA FOR NAVA BHARAT

Why Tricolour..?

The country's elders gave the nation the Tricolour consisting of saffron, white and green. It symbolized the fight against the British and created waves of patriotism and independence in the Indian subcontinent. Lakhs of freedom fighters were oppressed and sent to prison for holding it. These brave patriots started the Flag Satyagraha movement all over the country without caring for their lives. As a result of their sacrifice, India attained freedom on August 15, 1947. Under the same Tricolour, India is celebrating 75 years of independence this year.

Though Ashoka Chakra replaced the earlier Charaka, the Tricolour continued to symbolize the freedom movement. It united the nation and was also the message for taking the country forward. In the later decades, the Tricolour connected the fellow citizens, from Kargil to Kanyakumari, from Kutch to Arakan Mountains, and gave a colourful form to Indianness. It was in the hands of the Indian cricketers when they won the World Cup, on the Grandmaster's Chess game table and on the pedestal at the Olympic Games whenever India won a gold medal, enthralling the Indians. It created the confidence that we are all one and had spread integrity transcending caste, religion, language and region.

On the occasion of the 75 years of India's independence, the opportunity has come to re-pledge our integrity. We must resolve to build the county in the spirit of nationality and patriotism, keep our individual and narrow interests aside and dedicate ourselves to the nation's service. In addition, **our government is committed to celebrating Amrit Mahotsav and awakening the spirit of patriotism throughout the state under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's slogan 'Har Ghar Tiranga'**.

All those born in independent India have devotion and respect for the Tricolour. Everyone has the right to hoist the Tricolour, forgetting the caste-creed differences. Let's get involved in the nation-building activities under the Tricolour, which symbolizes peace-prosperity, and ignore those who are not appreciating its importance. Let's leave the critics to themselves and dedicate ourselves to the good of the country.

Yours,

Basavaraj S. Bommai
Chief Minister

Har Ghar Tiranga
13th - 15th August 2022

As enshrined in our Constitution, - to safeguard public property and to abjure violence is the fundamental duty of every citizen of India.

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ALMANAC TODAY
• **Friday:** 12/08/2022 • **Year:** Shubhakruta • **Ayana:** Dakshinayana • **Ritu:** Varsha • **Masa:** Shravana • **Paksha:** Shukla • **Tithi:** Purnima 7.26 am • **Nakshatra:** Dhanishta 3.57 am • Moon in Kumbha Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • **Gulikakala:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am **Yamaganda:** 01:30 pm to 03:00 pm

WEATHER — MIN 20°C | MAX 26°C
FORECAST Light showers. Mostly cloudy

Sunrise 6.07 am | Sunset 6.42 pm | Moonrise 7.16 pm | Moonset 6.09 am

Twin projects all set to give new life to Jakkur lake

STP, wetland devpt work to begin soon

MOHAMMED YACOOB @Bengaluru

FOLLOWING the announcement of development of lakes in Bengaluru under CM Nagarothana Grant, besides BWSSB's additional 7 MLD Sewage Treatment Plant which is in the pipeline, the BBMP will soon undertake wetland improvement work at Jakkur lake.

The Palike has hired an expert agency that is getting ready with a blueprint for the project. Once developed, the issue of organic matter filtering into the lake will be addressed.

According to Dr Vishawanath S from Biome Environment Trust, who is roped in by BBMP Lake Divison, Jakkur lake which is one of the first lakes in the country where integrated water management is taken up is now being developed to ensure its wetland is improved to treat sewage effectively.

The design for improvement was suggested by Dr Chanakya from Indian Institute of Science (IISc) and the plan is to replicate north Bengaluru's Yelahanka-Puttenahalli lake. "The idea is to ensure that all sewage and organic matter gets treated and then enter the lake. The BWSSB is building a 7 MLD sewage treatment plant and in addition to this, the two inlets of Jakkur lake will be fixed so that 15 MLD of treated water from already existing STP and some amount of untreated water all gets filtered in the wetland and enter the lake," said Vishwanath. He added that the work will be completed within five months.

Annapoorna Kamat, Founder Trustee of Jalaposhan, an organisation working for water conservation, augmentation and rejuvenation, said, "Community initiative and support from officials helped in giving life to 200+ year old lake and with wetland here requiring attention to ensure zero sewage and organic matter entering the lake, the BBMP responded positively and is now preparing the blueprint for wetland improvement based on the recommendations of water experts.

"The initiative will increase the water table and borewells and stone wells will be recharged in surrounding areas with clean water.

HAR GHAR TIRANGA CAMPAIGN

Actor Tara Anuradha distrubutes flag to schoolchildren as part of the 75th Independence Day celebrations, in Bengaluru on Thursday | VINOD KUMAR T

I-Day fever grips Bengaluru with Tricolours unfurled at various places like Corporation Circle | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

M R Venkatesh, president of Sri Thyagaraja Cooperative Bank Ltd, distributes free flags to bank members and customers

BBMP meets 90% of 10L target, to sell 5L more

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) has met 90 per cent of its target to sell 10 lakh Tricolours in all eight of its zones. Following this, the government has increased the target by another 5 lakh flags.

Confirming this to *TNIE*, BBMP (administration) Special Commissioner and Har Ghar Tiranga campaign Nodal Officer Rangappa said the Palike will now push harder to meet the new target.

"As we have reached 90 per cent of the earlier set target of 10 lakh flags by August 11, we will intensify the work to reach to more people to take part in the Har Ghar Tiranga campaign. We are confident of achieving 13 to 14 lakh flag sales easily," said Ragappa.

Regarding the confusion related to the Tricolour hoisted at most houses not being removed after 6 pm, officials said the Flag Code has been amended to keep flags unfurled at houses and or in open spaces day and night.

The Palike has instructed officials to meet the flag target from sales at malls in eight zones and also at public places like parks. To encourage the public to buy flags as part of the campaign, BBMP Administrator Rakesh Singh and BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath purchased flags on Wednesday.

On Thursday, the Commissioner appealed to all Resident Welfare Associations to take part in the campaign and hoist the Tricolour at their apartment complexes to mark the 75th year of Indian Independence.

Officials also been creating awareness among people on the dos and don'ts of hoisting of the national flag. The flag should not be placed in an inverted position and the saffron colour must remain on the top. The flag should not be thrown on the ground. Other flags and religious symbols and images should not be placed above the flag as this is a punishable offence.

POSTAL STAFFERS TAKE OUT ROADSHOW

Bengaluru: Nearly 150 postal department employees undertook a Prabhat Pheri (roadshow) in connection with the Centre's Har Ghar Tiranga campaign. The roadshow was led by S Rajendra Kumar, Chief Postmaster General, Karnataka Postal Circle, and L K Dash, Postmaster General, Bengaluru. The rally commenced from the CPMG office on Palace Road and concluded at Vikas Soudha. Postal staff wearing attire that matched the tricolour chanted 'Vande Mataram', 'Bharat Mata Ki Jai' and 'Har Ghar Tiranga' during the march. ENS

Parking, commercial spaces on the cards for 2 interchange Metro stns

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

TO boost its revenue as well as benefit commuters, the Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Ltd is planning to create multi-level parking and commercial complexes for two crucial interchange Metro stations -- the Kempe Gowda station as well as near the upcoming Krishnarajapuram Metro station.

BMRCL Managing Director Anjum Parwez said this is part of Metro's efforts to earn 25 per cent of its revenue through non-fare methods. "The move to put in place the facilities was planned long ago at KG Metro station and so an extremely strong foundation for it had been laid bearing this in mind. We have space near the KR Puram station which will become a very busy station when operations commence and so decided to put in place these amenities," he said.

A parking-commercial complex has been proposed on one acre of land near the upcoming KR Puram Metro station

State Infrastructure Development Department subsidiary I-DECK has been entrusted with the task of exploring the economic viability of the two proposals, the MD said.

A top official said an area running to nearly one acre has been identified near KR Puram for the purpose. "It can accommodate around 200 four-wheelers and 1500 two-wheelers apart from many offices or shops. At KG Metro station, we are looking at having four or six floors of parking-cum-commercial complex on a built-up area of 8 lakh sqft," he said.

While Kempegowda is the interchange for Metro's Purple Line and Green Line, KR Puram will serve as the interchange between the Outer Ring Road Line and the Baiyappanahalli-Whitefield Line. KR Puram station is set for launch by the year-end when the Whitefield line is set for launch.

BIAL invites proposal for 20-metre sculpture

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

AIRPORT operator, Bangalore International Airport Ltd (BIAL), has invited artists and art groups to submit proposals for a 20-metre-high monumental sculpture at the forest belt area in the upcoming Terminal 2 (T2) of Kempegowda International Airport.

"The art programme in T2 at BLR Airport will mirror two themes - Karnataka's rich heritage and culture and Nau-rasa - the nine emotions highlighted in Bharata's Natyashastra. The shortlisted proposal will be commissioned and displayed at the forest belt area that is located between the main terminal building and the boarding gates," BIAL said.

The proposals must be original and not a replica of previous works. It should be inspired by the rich art and cultural heritage of Karnataka or South India. The proposals will be reviewed by an independent advisory panel and BIAL stakeholders.

All submissions must be emailed to artprogramme@bialairport.com by September 15. The winner will be announced by October 10.

BIAL's first open call for the art programme in 2020 was a massive success and received 300 entries. This second open call for a monumental sculpture offers a great opportunity for artists to showcase their talent.

FLOWER SHOW

Metro ticket from Lalbagh to any stn for Rs 30

BENGALURU: To cater to the rush at Lalbagh Metro Station for the Independence Day Horticultural show, the Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Ltd (BMRCL) is issuing one-way return journey paper tickets from August 13 to August 15. An official said the cost of a paper ticket will be Rs 30 and is valid for any station from Lalbagh Metro station between 10 am and 8 pm. The paper tickets can purchased from any Metro station from 8 am to 6 pm and at Lalbagh station alone till 8 pm. The onward journey from any station to Lalbagh will only be through token or smart cards with the regular discount. ENS

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

12th August: You probably read about the discoveries of ice on Mars, and you may know of my interest in life on other planets. Whether there is life on Mars right now, we cannot say. But we should be ninety-nine percent certain that it flourished in the past, when conditions were more benign. If there are surviving organisms, they are probably very basic, although not necessarily harmless!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
As Saturn, planet of burdens and responsibilities plays its full part, the message is clear: the worst is over. But it could be a little while yet before you have to cope with the results of this week's changing responsibilities. I know you're bogged down by the trees, but do try to see the wood!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
The weekend will be an ideal time to let off steam, so try and find constructive ways to discharge your excess energy. Family members are likely to find you responsible for matters which are none of your business, and they may need placating. But at least you'll have a chance to flex your creative muscles.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
No one and nothing can prevent you from getting your way. Only your own impatience, impulsiveness and refusal to listen to reason can sabotage or undermine your credibility. In love, take your time, and persuade a partner that you are on the right track.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Financial questions are being brought into perspective by Mercury's uncompromising relationships. Hard choices are necessary and you may be forced to draw in your horns, if only briefly. At least it's now much easier to make up your mind on practical choices.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Even a major move or upheaval on the home front will be to your advantage in the long-term, so don't flinch or fudge the issues. By the beginning of next week you'll have a much clearer idea of where you're heading, partly because you'll have forgotten what happened last week!

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Don't go the whole hog over finances, at least not yet. You see, the planets are beginning to assume a very fortunate position, but just for now they are still spreading confusion. If you have a problem, it's impatience and a tendency to try to get to the finishing post before you've started!

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Of course you would like to be in a much better position - who wouldn't? But you have to understand that your Libran perfectionism makes it so hard to accept anything but the very best. Many of you have decided that your independence is worth more than an old, tired emotional tie.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
On the home front, it really does seem to be a case of least said, soonest mended. Save your energy for professional ambitions and worldly achievements. Overseas romance beckons for travelling Scorpios, but you could be swept away by a place as much as a person.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
I have written a great deal about your monetary situation in recent times, and as you know only too well, you are over-committed financially. There may be much to be said for borrowing a little extra, just as long as no strings are involved.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Although you should now be on much firmer ground when contesting controversial actions and statements, there seems to be little chance of getting other people to see things your way. Unless, that is, you bend the rules and fudge the issues. And I am sure you can do it!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Mercury's current aspects are bright and witty. You must choose your words and timing with the utmost care and on no account offend or alienate people with whom you must remain friends. It's all a matter of discovering your secret, diplomatic skills.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
You may have over-reacted to emotional situations in the past, but then what else would we expect from a sensitive Piscean? I have a feeling you'll be over-reacting again in the very near future! But then why shouldn't you? Isn't it true that you have given away too much ground in the past?

THE PHANTOM

HI AND LOIS

I'D REALLY LIKE TO BE ABLE TO PARK THE CAR IN HERE SOMEDAY.
BUT THIS IS THE BEST PLACE FOR BAND PRACTICE!
HOW MUCH IS DAD PAYING YOU TO WASH THE CAR?
NOTHING.

BEETLE BAILEY

MY HOLDINGS HAVE REALLY DWINDLED. IS IT A GOOD TIME TO BUY?
YES, IT'S A GOOD TIME TO DIVERSIFY
IS COSMO YOUR STOCK-BROKER?
NO, HE'S MY SNACK ADVISER
GREG + MORT WALKER
7/11

BLONDIE

WE'RE PLAYING STREET HOCKEY FOR STANLEY CUP WEEK, MR. B.!!
YEAH! WANNA JOIN OUR TEAM?
WE DABBED ON SOME BLACK TOOTH PAINT SO WE LOOK LIKE REAL PLAYERS!
YOU HAVE TO WEAR IT IF YOU'RE ON OUR TEAM
OKAY, SO I GAVE IN TO A LITTLE STANLEY CUP PEER PRESSURE

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE

SU DO KU

Easy: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

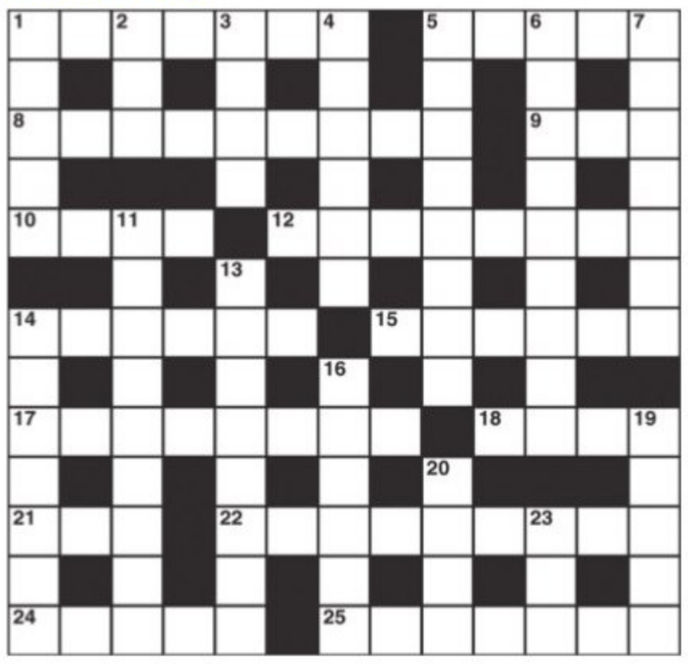
Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

7	8			3	9	2		
	2	5			7			9
			4	2		7		
		2					8	
5	9	6				3	2	4
	3					5		
		8		1	6			
2			7			9	5	
		7	5	9			6	3

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

7	9	8	6	3	4	1	2	5
6	5	3	1	8	2	4	7	9
4	2	1	9	7	5	3	8	6
2	1	9	4	5	8	7	6	3
8	4	7	3	1	6	5	9	2
3	6	5	2	9	7	8	1	4
9	7	4	8	2	3	6	5	1
5	3	2	7	6	1	9	4	8
1	8	6	5	4	9	2	3	7

CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Step on it before the opening (7)
5 Negotiate for free entertainment (5)
8 Cruel like an ungrateful Frenchman (9)
9 A good starting point for a drive (3)
10 About to include it in the ceremony (4)
12 Went and got married again? (8)
14 The Romans offered one to people with bread (6)
15 A close arrangement for comfort (6)
17 Serious crime publication not for northern readers? (8)
18 They travel fast and their return is celebrated (4)
21 Part of the Baltic you find frozen (3)
22 Try a new road venue (9)
24 Transplanted trees (5)
25 Resonant sound about metal railing (7)

DOWN
1 To be hesitant is not entirely modest (5)
2 Blade used by a cutter perhaps (3)
3 Chain letters (4)
4 Works for degrees? The ones here have point (6)
5 He's willing to let others succeed (8)
6 Keep in mind what the host will do (9)
7 Foot pedal that could be altered (7)
11 Overworked pupils? (5,4)
13 Not quite free to give the result of the division (8)
14 Dismiss a money handler (7)
16 Fine stuff we drop all over the place (6)
19 A gesture one doesn't care to make (5)
20 Material needed to provide grassy area (4)
23 The charm of the West Indies? (3)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Disaster, 5 Croc, 9 Layer, 10 Pergola, 11 Looking after, 13 Inkpot, 14 Steppe, 17 Poet laureate, 20 Antacid, 21 Evens, 22 Eons, 23 Presides.

Down: 1 Dill, 2 Shylock, 3 Stroke of luck, 4 Expand, 6 Roost, 7 Chairmen, 8 Break the news, 12 Misplace, 15 Pithead, 16 Murder, 18 Eaten, 19 Isis.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

PRAAK

HSIOT

SRUTYT

GNININ

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Time to live, whether we're dead or alive! Drinks're on me!
Now you're talking!
I feel like we're not alone.
Must be the booze.
A Bee's Knees for me!
WHEN THE GHOST OFFERED TO BUY DRINKS FOR ALL THE OTHER GHOSTS, THEY SAID ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

_____ , _____

THE _____

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
SOUPY MOOSE FICKLE BOTHER
ANSWER: The husband and wife had purchased matching wristwatches a – COUPLE OF TIMES

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

FROM THE GLORIOUS HIMALAYAS,
TO THE QUAINT BACKWATERS.
FROM THE SHIMMERING PALACES,
TO THE UNTOUCHED LANDS OF THE EAST.

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CM ASKS GOVT STAFFERS TO HOIST TRICOLOUR AT HOME

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, via a letter, sought cooperation from state government employees to make the 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign a success. As part of the campaign, all state government employees should hoist the Tricolour at their houses from August 13 to 15

LENDING AN EAR

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai interacts with members of Freedom Fighters Association in Mysuru on Thursday | UDAYSHANKAR S

Lokayuktas must be non-political: HC

Court bats for maintaining transparency in appointments; Recommends strengthening police wing

LOKAYUKTA NET

1986 TO JUNE 2022

No. of cases against CM, MLAs, MPs, Corporators: 67

No. of cases registered against IAS officers: 28

No. of cases registered against IPS officers: 8

Conviction in: 1,046 cases

Acquitted in: 3,636 cases

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

OBSERVING that it is time the state government takes steps to reform the Lokayukta institution to regain its 'glory', the Karnataka High Court said the appointment of the Lokayukta and Upa Lokayuktas should be non-political, and the posts should not be an "accommodation centre" for any body.

"We request constitutional authorities, under Section 3(2)(a) and 3(2)(b) of the Karnataka Lokayukta Act, to take a conscious and unanimous decision to recommend persons with a track record of integrity, competence and fairness, both in public and personal life, to the posts of Lokayukta and Upa Lokayukta, uninfluenced by caste, creed, etc., and maintain transparency in the appointment," a division bench of Justice B Veerappa and Justice KS Hemalekha said.

Recommending immediate necessity for amending Section 12(4) of the Lokayukta Act, 1984, that once a recommendation is made by the Lokayukta or Upa Lokayuktas, it should be binding on the government, the court said the Lokayukta police wing should be strengthened by deputing honest persons. "Police personnel working with the ACB, should be transferred/deputed to Lokayukta police wing, to strengthen the existing police wing,s," the court said, and placed a rider that investigation should be completed within reasonable time.

The court highlighted that the ACB was created under the chief minister, based on a proposal by the DG&IGP, and it is not forthcoming who will probe charges against the chief minister, ministers, MLAs and bureaucrats. It shows that an independent mind was not applied by the state government before creating the ACB, the court said.

Separate ACB created

"It is most unfortunate that even after 75 years of Independence, no political party is willing to allow an independent authority like the Lokayukta to discharge its duties in a transparent manner," the court said, adding that it is time to says good bye to the ACB. ACB has not registered criminal cases against ministers, MPs, MLAs or MLCs

WHAT THEY SAY

We are prepared to take up the challenge and work in the larger interest of society and the people. Once I receive the court order copy, I will hold a meeting to chalk out the plan to strengthen the institution further,"

Justice BS Patil, Lokayukta

Former CM Siddaramaiah, whose government had established the ACB, said he respects the HC verdict. He refused to comment much on the issue, stating that he has to go through the order.

The order has catered to the long-pending demand of the common man, who is fed up with the growing rate of corruption. While the order is to be appreciated, the political drama when it comes to strengthening the Lokayukta agency can't be ignored. No political party needs a strong ombudsman

Justice N Santosh Hegde, former Lokayukta

Govt turned Lokayukta into paper tiger: HC

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THE court observed that the state government was weakening the Lokayukta institution to protect corrupt public servants from prosecution under the provisions of Prevention of Corruption Act and indirectly made Lokayukta and Upa Lokayuktas "paper tigers without any teeth and claws."

The court restored the notifications which were withdrawn by the state government in 2016 to take away powers from Lokayukta to probe cases under the PC Act.

Quashing both the notifications dated March 14, 2016, and March 19, 2016, issued by the state government for creating ACB and taking away powers from Lokayukta, the court clarified that all inquiries, investigations and other disciplinary proceedings pending before the ACB will be transferred to Lokayukta. Allowing PILs filed by advocate Chidananda Urs, Advocates' Association of Bangalore and Samaj Parivartana Samudaya, challenging the setting up of ACB, the court held that the state government was not justified in constituting the ACB by an executive order dated March 14, 2016 and superseding the earlier notifications dated February 6, 1991, May 8, 2002 and December 5, 2002 which authorised the Lokayukta police with powers to investigate under the PC Act and had declared the officers of Police Wing of the Lokayukta as Police Stations under the CrPC.

The state government contended that it had powers under Article 162 of the Constitution to form the ACB which was a policy decision, and hence the order issued to constitute ACB did not conflict with provisions of the Karnataka Lokayukta.

However, the court observed that the state overnment cannot trench upon the occupied field that would prevail after the Karnataka Lokayukta Act was passed by the President. Despite this, an executive order was issued to usurp the powers of Lokayukta without consulting him, which is im

LEADERSHIP CHANGE

Cong sharpens attack on BJP

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DESPITE the BJP high command defending Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, and his cabinet colleagues clarifying that there would not be any leadership change in the state, the Congress has intensified its attack on the ruling dispensation. Not ready to give up easily, the grand old party's Twitter handle picked up speculation about possible change in the post of the BJP state president.

On Wednesday, even as former chief minister BS Yediyurappa clarified that Bommai would complete his tenure as CM, the veteran BJP leader hinted at a change in the state president's post, as incumbent Nalinkumar Kateel's term is reported to be ending soon.

When inquired by reporters, Kateel asked as to who had said that his term had come to an end. However, the Congress continued to attack the BJP.

"Is the Congress responsible for the confusion? Confusion over the change of state president after the issue of CM change? If BS Yediyurappa says that the president's term is over, Kateel asks who said that. They (BJP) are the ones who hand over the cane to the Congress without clarity of things, and they are the ones who shout after being beaten!," it tweeted.

It has also tagged a July-28 statement of former BJP minister Sogadu Shivanna that the government had failed to protect Hindu lives, with reference to the murder of BJP Yuva Morcha leader Praveen Nettaru in Dakshina Kannada district recently.

Not the first time Congress is spreading rumours: CM

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SLAMMING the Congress, Bommai said the party is in an "indecisiveness" state. "They want to spread it to the entire state. But people in Karnataka are not going to take it. This is not the first time Congress is spreading rumours about change of guard," he added. It may be recalled that after Congress leaders tweeted and speculated about Bommai's exit, some BJP leaders had added fuel to such reports. However, ministers and many senior BJP leaders including former CM B S Yediyurappa have rubbished it and accused Congress of spreading them.

With MySugar, BJP hopes to enter cane country

K SHIVA KUMAR @ Mysuru

The BJP, which is keen to expand the saffron footprint in the Vokkaliga heartland of Mandya, has set the ball rolling by commissioning Mysore Sugar Company Ltd.

The BJP government expedited modernisation of the defunct factory's switch-on boilers, sending the message that it was implementing its budget promise. Ministers K Gopalaiah and K C Narayana Gowda commissioned the boilers, and crushing of cane will start in a couple of days. The government has assured the factory management of all financial assistance. This is bound to give the BJP political mileage, and the strength to take on rivals in the JDS-Congress bastion.

MySugar factory, which was started by Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar and contributed to economic activity, had turned sick, and cane crushing was stopped five years ago. While there were plans to privatise the factory, Raitha Sangha leaders and farmers came out strongly and staged an indefinite stir. The JDS took out a padayatra, and opposition leader Siddaramaiah had called on the activists and assured them that the Congress would revive the factory if it returned to power in 2023.

The BJP, which opened its account in the belt by winning KR Pet, is keen to emerge as a strong political force here. The government announced that it did not plan to privatise the factory, and Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, after taking over, allocated Rs 50 crore for commissioning the factory. The government has already spent Rs 20 crore on the new boilers and other machinery for crushing cane, and ethanol production that is profitable to both the factory and farmers.

Meanwhile, Bommai, after inaugurating Mandya University, said the revival of MySugar will be completed soon, and crushing of cane will start. He said that Rs 500 crore will be sanctioned for modernisation of Maddur irrigation canal.

POLITICAL THEATRE

Priyanka's B'luru visit doubtful after she tests +ve for Covid

BENGALURU: Congress general secretary Priyanka Gandhi Vadra is unlikely to take part in the freedom walk that the party in Karnataka has planned to mark the 75th anniversary of Independence in Bengaluru after testing positive for Covid-19. The state unit of the Congress has planned a padayatra from Krantivira Sangolli Rayanna railway station to the National College Grounds in Basavanagudi on August 15. Congress sources said Priyanka's participation in the padayatra is doubtful as she is in home isolation. They added that the Congress high command is likely to send another senior leader to participate in the padayatra.

Govt will hoist flag at Chamarajpet grounds

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AMID the tussle between the state government and local Congress MLA Zameer Ahmed Khan over Chamarajpet Grounds in Bengaluru, Revenue Minister R Ashoka confirmed that the government would hoist the Tricolour and not allow any organisation or individuals to do so, including the MLA.

Ashoka told reporters after a meeting on Thursday said it has been decided not to allow anyone to hoist the flag at the grounds. The Assistant Commissioner of Bengaluru North taluk will hoist the flag, he said. "We have discussed it with senior police officials. This property now belongs to the Revenue department and is under our control. As per protocol, the local MLA and MP can attended the event," Ashoka said.

During the flag-hoisting event, the only slogans which will be raised are 'Bharat Matha ki Jai' and 'Vande Mataram', Ashoka said. "This place will no more be called Idgah Maidan. It will be called Guttahalli Maidan in Chamarajpet. Since it belongs to the Revenue department, we will discuss with the Chief Minister whether to hand it over to BBMP or BDA," he added.

Ashoka added that police will take care of law and order, and take action if anyone tries to disturb the peace. "I hope people accept this. If people have an issue, they can complain to the Revenue department," he said.

Police yet to ascertain murder motive

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WITH this, the total number of arrests in the case has gone up to 10 and police said efforts are on to nab some more accused who are indirectly involved in the crime.

Alok Kumar said the planning for Praveen's murder started a week before the crime took place. Asked whether Praveen was murdered in retaliation to Masood's murder, the ADGP said that will be known only after a detailed investigation is carried out.

Soon after hacking Praveen to death, the trio went to a mosque at Bekal in Kasargod, Kerala. They then frequently changed their locations. Following a tip-off, a police team led by Sullia inspector Naveen Chandra Jogi nabbed the trio.

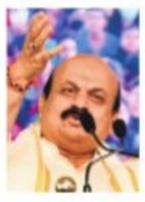
Work to make India a superpower in next 25 years: Bommai to youth

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

CHIEF Minister **Basavaraj Bommai** on Thursday called upon youngsters to contribute towards making India a superpower in the next 25 years.

Inaugurating a mammoth -- Yuvajanosatva -- attended by thousands of students to mark the 75th year of Independence, which was organised by the University of Mysore (UoM) at the Maharaja's College Ground here on Thursday, Bommai said the next 25 years will be golden years for both the country and Karnataka.

Announcing that many programmes are under way to build 'Nava Karnataka', he said his government is committed to the overall development of the state. "Post reorganisation of states, Karnataka has made honest efforts to develop all its regions. The state has set a target of $1.5 trillion, out of the $5-trillion economy dream of Prime Minister Narendra Modi," he informed.



On development of the Mysuru region, the CM said his government has announced funds for a tourism circuit covering Belur, Halebid, Mysuru and other prominent sites that would attract tourists. He also stressed that focus is also on developing Belagavi, Hubballi-Dharwad, Mangaluru, and Chitradurga, among others.

He spoke about a hostel for 1,000 students on the Manasagangothri campus and funds for the renovation of the century-old Maharaja's and Maharani's Colleges in the city.

Superstar Yash at the Yuvajanotsava at Maharaja's College Ground in Mysuru on Thursday | UDAYASHANKAR S

DREAM BIG: YASH'S ADVICE TO STUDENTS

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KANNADA superstar Yash stole the show at the Yuvajanotsava organised at the Maharaja's College Ground here, amidst thunderous cheers from the audience which had gathered to catch a glimpse of the 'KGF' actor. The Yuvajanotsava organised by the University of Mysore, as part of Azadi Ka Mahotsav here on Thursday, got an overwhelming response as students of not just the said varsity, but all affiliated colleges and degree colleges from across the city and district arrived to take part in the youth event.

Addressing youngsters, the Rocking Star, as Yash is popularly known, said that one's dreams can change anything in one's life. "We need to have a strong aim. Good dedication plays a pivotal role in the life of an individual to achieve anything. As a child, I did not give much happiness to my parents, and would spend my time roaming around the city, especially during my student life. But small changes which I took helped me grow to where I am today, which is the reason people are pouring so much love on me," he said, recalling the days he spent in Mysuru.

Giving an example of the success of KGF, he said, "Did anyone ever hope that a Kannada movie would make so much noise across the Indian film industry? We only need to be positive."

SIZE DOES MATTER

@ 5,725 kg, Arjuna mightiest of all Dasara jumbos

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

AT 5,725 kg, Arjuna outweighed all other Dasara elephants during the weight-checking exercise organised by the forest department here on Thursday.

All the nine elephants of the first batch of the Dasara elephants which arrived at the Mysuru Palace were made to walk on Thursday morning from here to Dhanvantri Road, where weights of all the animals were measured on a weighing bridge.

One of the nine Dasara elephants undergoes a weight-checking exercise, as forest staffers look on, in Mysuru on Thursday | UDAYSHANKAR S

Arjuna, like the previous years, topped the list and is the mightiest of all jumbos, clocking 5,725 kg, followed by Gopalaswamy which weighed 5,240 kg, Dhananjaya 4,800 kg, Abhimanyu 4,770 kg, Mahendra 4,260 kg, Bheema 3,950 kg, Kaveri 3,110 kg, Chaitra 3,050 kg and Lakshmi 2,920 kg.

DCF Dr Karikalan said the first batch of nine elephants underwent weight-checking, and will again undergo the process along with the second batch in the next 15-20 days. "After getting special nutritional diet, the elephants are expected to gain over 400-500 kg weight. We don't want them to grow fat, but to be healthy," he said.

He further revealed that they are planning to start training for the Jamboo Savari from August 14.

DURATION OF PANDEMIC	CASES REPORTED	DEATHS	DISCHARGES
2 YEARS, 156 DAYS	■ 1,691 ◄ 1,680	■ 6 | ◄ 5	■ 1,982 | ◄ 2,114
	TALLY	POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
		■ 5.91% | ◄ 5.91%	■ 0.99% | ◄ 0.99%
■ TODAY	■ 40,26,085	ACTIVE CASES ■ 10,054	RECOVERY RATE ■ 98.75%
◄ YESTERDAY	◄ 40,24,394	◄ 10,351	◄ 98.74%

B'Urban: 1,225	C'nagara: 27	Dharwada: 42	Kolara: 7	Shivamogga: 22
B'Rural: 11	Chikkaballapura: 12	Gadag: 2	Koppala: 3	Tumakuru: 7
Bagalakote: 6	Chikkamagaluru: 19	Hassana: 14	Mandya: 24	Udupi: 8
Ballari 58	Chitradurga: 4	Haveri: 10	Mysuru: 88	Uttara Kannada: 7
Belagavi: 29	D Kannada: 6	Kalaburagi: 15	Raichuru: 9	Vijayapura: 3
Bidar: 2	Davanagere: 19	Kodagu: 7	Ramanagara: 5	Yadagiri: 0

Govt urges people to take booster

Dr Sudhakar warns hospitals against denying treatment to Covid patients

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EXPRESSING concern over the rise in Covid-19 cases in Karnataka, state Health Minister **Dr K Sudhakar** on Thursday urged people to take precautionary or booster shots of the vaccine. Saying that only 17 per cent of the people in the state have taken the booster shots, Sudhakar said there was a steady rise in the Covid positivity rate in Karnataka.

"Not taking the booster dose even when it has been made available free for everyone amounts to negligence and we as responsible citizens must avail it to enhance immunity," Sudhakar told mediapersons after the Covid-19 Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting on Thursday.

The average Covid-19 positivity rate of Karnataka is 7.2 per cent at the moment.

TAC has also issued an advisory that those above the age of 60 and those with comorbidities should take the booster dose.

Sudhakar said no hospital can deny treatment for a Covid-19 patient. "Every hospital must treat Covid-19 patients in isolation wards. I have received complaints that many hospitals denied treatment. This is not just inhumane but also illegal. If any such complaints are received, strict action will be taken under the KPME and Epidemic act," the minister said.

With festive seasons commencing, TAC has, however, not recommended to the government to impose any restriction on any socio-cultural gatherings. "People should be responsible and wear masks. The Covid panel will decide about imposing a penalty for not wearing masks in the next TAC meeting which will be held in 10 to 15 days depending on the rise in cases," Sudhakar said.

Dr K Sudhakar said that the TAC took a comprehensive view of the monkeypox situation in Karnataka. "Covid TAC will have more experts ... and henceforth it will even give recommendations on monkeypox and monitor all other public health concerns, including dengue, chikungunya, H1N1 which are on a rise," the minister added.

"By this time last year there were 1,266 dengue cases, 454 chikungunya cases and only three cases of H1N1 cases... but this year so far there are 4,405 dengue cases, 978 chikungunya cases and 345 H1N1 cases. We have increased testing and for dengue alone we tested 9,000 samples last year, but tested 36,000 samples this year," he said.

GET CORBEVAX JABS FROM TODAY

With the Union Government approving use of Corbevax as a booster shot, Dr K Sudhakar said that the State Government will start administering the vaccine from Friday. It is a heterologous vaccine, and even those who have taken first and second doses of either Covishield or Covaxin can take Corbevax as a booster dose.

Bengaluru City Police Commissioner CH Pratap Reddy inspects the 512 mobiles which were recovered by the CCB, in Bengaluru on Thursday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

CCB sleuths unearth smartphone theft ring, recover 512 devices

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@ Bengaluru

AS much as Rs 78.84 lakh worth of stolen smartphones have been recovered by sleuths of the Central Crime Branch. The loot is the handiwork of a gang of eight robbers. Of the eight, the police have arrested two habitual offenders.

The accused were committing mobile phone thefts in different parts of the city. Later, they would sell the stolen phones to their agents in Mumbai, Delhi and Hyderabad, which would be used for illegal activities. The police have recovered 512 smartphones from the duo.

The suspects are identified as Afzal Pasha (27) of Padarayanapura, and Ezar Sardar (40) of Shivanagar. The two were earlier arrested and sent to jail. After coming out, they continued their criminal activities. Older cases against the duo have already been registered in Chamarajpet, Upparpet, Magadi Road, Kamakshipalya, Varthur and Ashoknagar police stations.

Fearing that they would be caught if the stolen mobiles were sold here, the accused, through their associates, were selling them in neighbouring states. The accused were also stealing phones from people in crowded areas by picking them from their pockets.

Of the 512 phones, the police have recovered the details of 110 owners, while the IMEI numbers of the remaining phones have been uploaded on the Bengaluru police website. Anyone who has lost his or her phone can approach the police by furnishing documents of the IMEI numbers.

Meanwhile, the police are on the lookout for the remaining absconding accused.

CRIME PATROL

Woman's body found near Madiwala Lake

BENGALURU: The body of an unidentified woman with blood stains on her head and face created panic among early morning walkers near Madiwala Lake on Thursday morning. Police are not ruling out the possibility of murder, and are also checking if the woman's death was due to an accident. Details of the victim are being ascertained. The woman is said to be aged around 45 years and was wearing a saree and sweater. Police suspect she could be residing in the vicinity, and may have died when she had come for a morning walk. The role of robbers trying to snatch her gold chain and killing her when she resisted, is also being looked into. Police are checking CCTV footage to get more clues.

Two arrested for home-alone woman's murder

BENGALURU: Devanahalli police arrested two men from Bihar for allegedly murdering a 57-year-old home-alone woman on July 15, and escaped with valuables. The accused have been identified as Pasupathi alias Papiya, and Dheeraj Kumar. Anchala Tulsiyan was found murdered at her house in Defence Layout in Devanahalli. "After the murder, the accused escaped to Bihar from where they were arrested. They stole Rs 11 lakh in cash from the victim's house, which was recovered," police added.

IISc's hospital to get geriatrics wing

Bengaluru: The Indian Institute of Science (IISc) signed an MoU with Karnataka Startup Vision Group chairman Prashanth Prakash to establish a geriatrics wing as part of its upcoming multi-speciality hospital. "Through physician-scientists, there is immense potential for the Institute to bring advancements in geroscience and healthy-aging to help people live their most extended, healthiest lives possible," said Prakash. The Shantha & Prakash Geriatrics Wing will be a part of the proposed Bagchi-Parthasarathy hospital that is to be established on the IISc campus. The wing is expected to be functional by 2025.

24,308 KIDS ARE OUT OF SCHOOL IN K'TAKA, HIGH COURT TOLD

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THE Karnataka High Court was informed that 18,584 children -- including 11,710 dropouts and 6,874 who never enrolled -- were tracked among 24,308 Out of School Children (OSC) -- 14,963 dropouts and 9,345 who never enrolled -- in the age group of 6-14 years. In all, 5,724 children (3,253 dropouts and 2,471 who never enrolled) are yet to be tracked.

Placing the status report regarding proceedings of the State Inter Departmental High Power Committee meeting and steps taken, before the division bench of Acting Chief Justice Alok Aradhe and Justice S Vishwajith Shetty, amicus curiae KN Phanindra stated that out of 18,584 children who have been tracked, 14,871 children (9,715 dropouts and 5,156 never enrolled) have already been admitted to school, and the remaining 3,713 children (1,995 dropouts and 1,718 who never enrolled) are yet to be admitted.

IN THE HC

The amicus curiae requested the court to issue directions to Samagra Shikshana Karnataka and School Education and Literacy departments to continue identifying OSC in the age group of 6-14 years, and ensure that such children are brought back into the mainstream of education within a stipulated time-frame, and submit the progress in admission.

He also prayed before court to issue directions to the Women and Child Welfare, Social Welfare and Minority Welfare departments to identify and enrol children in the age group of 3-6 years, as pointed out in the household door-to door survey report submitted to court, and furnish a status report about progress in enrolment.

Granting 12 weeks' time to the state government to submit a further status report, the court, which has been monitoring OSC from 2013, directed the state government to ensure that the remaining 3,713 are admitted to school and 5,724 children are tracked.

Online applications are invited from eligible female candidates for recruitment of Agniveer General Duty (Women Military Police) in the Indian Army. For details and to apply online, log on to Directorate General of Recruiting website www.joinindianarmy.nic.in.

CATEGORY	ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA	
	AGE	EDUCATION
Agniveer (General Duty) (Women Military Police)	17½ - 21* years	Class 10th / Matric with 45% marks in aggregate and 33% in each subject. For boards following grading system, minimum of 'D' grade (33% - 40%) in individual subjects or grades with 33% in individual subjects and overall aggregate of 'C2' grade or equivalent corresponding to 45% in aggregate.

* Note: The upper age limit has been relaxed from 21 years to 23 years as a **onetime measure** for the Recruiting Year 2022-23.
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Rule 8(1) POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the Dhanlaxmi Bank Limited under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 09/02/2022 calling upon the borrowers. **M/s.Hytte Mobilty and Hospitality Pvt Ltd** Shop No.2 , 2nd floor , No-58, 8th Cross, Kaggadasapura, C V Raman Nagar, Bangalore 560093, Karnataka. and Represented by its Directors **Sri. Dileep Kumar, Aged about 40 years, S/o .Velappan Nair** Residing at No.305A, Jyothi Enclave, 1st cross, Kaggadasapura, C V Raman Nagar, Bangalore 560093, **Sri Raghuraman Subramanian , S/o P Raghurama Rao**, Aged About 45 years, Residing at No.21, Thirumala Enclave,Halasahalli Road, Varthur, Bangalore. **Smt. Sree Kala, W/o Raghuraman Subramanian,** Aged about 41 Years ,Residing at No.21 Thirumala Enclave ,Halasahalli Road Varthur, Bangalore to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 64,43,657.82** (Rupees Sixty Four lakhs Forty Three Thousand six Hundred and Fifty seven and Paise Eighty Two only) as on 31.01.2022 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under subsection 4 of section 13 of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, on this the **10th day of August 2022**.

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The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable Property

Item No. 1 : All the piece and parcel of the site bearing no 36 Khatha No.1697/36 in the lay out known as Ashish woods having PID no.150200102201620692 carved out of residentially converted land bearing sy.no.10/5, Anekal planning authority, bearing LAO /66/14-15, situated at Chikkanahalli, Kammanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, totally measuring 1453 sqft and bounded on the East by: Site No.27 and measuring on that side 34 feet 6 inch, West by: Road and measuring on that side 38 feet, North by: Sy. No 10/2 and measuring on that side 40 feet 2 inch, South by: Site No.35 and measuring on that side 40 feet.

Item No. 2 . All the piece and parcel of the site bearing no 35 ,khatha no.1696/35 in the lay out known as Ashish Woods having PID No.150200102201620687 carved out of residentially converted land bearing sy.no.10/5 Anekal planning authority bearing LAO /66/14 -15 situated at Chikkanahalli , Kammanahalli Village , Sarjapura Hobli , Anekal Taluk , totally measuring 1200 sqft and bounded on the East by : Site No.28 and measuring on that side 30 feet, West by: Road and measuring on that side 30 feet, North by : Site no .36 and measuring on that side 40 feet, South by: Site No.34 and measuring on that side 40 feet.

Date: 10.08.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **(Dhanlaxmi Bank Ltd)**

The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd

No.73/1, Gandhi Bazar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 004. Telephone : 2242 1999, 2661 9950. 2661 8092, 2661 8093, Fax 2661 9950 E-mail: admin.ao@ncbl.org.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized officer of **The National Co-operative Bank Limited** under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord. 3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **07.05.2022** calling upon the borrower **Sri. Nagesh S. S/o Sri. Subramanya H.N. residing** No.29/1, Pratyasha, 1st A Main,8th cross, Ramanashree Nagar 3rd Phase, Doddakammanahalli, Next to Nobo Nagar, Off B.G. Road, Bengaluru-560076 and the **Co-obligants Smt. Rashmi Rao** W/o Sri. Nagesh S, residing No.29/1, Pratyasha, 1st A Main, 8th Cross, Ramanashree Nagar 3rd Phase, Doddakammanahalli, Next to Nobo Nagar, Off B.G. Road, Bengaluru- 560076 Repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.18,45,772/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Forty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Two Only)** with interest from **01.05.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The amount due as on **30.04.2022** is **Rs.18,45,772/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Forty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Two Only) & and interest thereon from 01.05.2022** & Cost to other charges and expenses there on.

The borrower and the co-obligants having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, co-obligants and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the Ordinance read with rule 9 of the said rule on this **8th day of August the year 2022.**

The borrower and the co-obligants in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of The National Co-operative Bank Limited for an amount of **Rs.18,45,772/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Forty Five Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Two Only) and interest thereon from 01.05.2022** & Cost to other charges and expenses there on.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE : SCHEDULE-A : All that piece and parcel of Plot No.355, formed in Sy.No.193/1, situated at Shriram Hamsadhwani, Bidaragere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, PID No.150200100300520162 and Khatha No.647/355 by Karpur Gram Panchayath measuring East to West 9.144 mtrs, North to South 12.195 mtrs. Totally measuring 111.48 sq. mtrs, and bounded by:- East by: 9.14 mtrs Road, West by : Plot No.352, North by : Plot No.354, South by : Plot No.356.

Date : 08.08.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client, **MR. SUMANTH ASHOK**, son of Mr. Ashok Rao M.S. is the owner of the vacant site bearing No.30/2 having BBMP Khata No.882/826/30/2 totally measuring 8001 sq. feet situated at Basapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, formed on land bearing Survey No.30 measuring 7.33 Guntas and Survey No.31/2 measuring 1.50 Guntas, both situated at Basapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, which is morefully described in Schedule Property mentioned herein below and hereinafter referred to as "*Schedule Properties*". Our client has lost the Gift Deed dated 10.05.2004 executed by Mr. Maruthi Mantale in favour of Mrs. Gundamma wife of Late Chandrappa registered as Document No.BAS-1-12408-2004-05 in Book I and stored in CD No.BASD85 in the office of Sub Registrar Bangalore South Taluk in respect of the Schedule Properties.

If any person has found or is in possession of the aforementioned document, kindly return the same to the undersigned.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

All that piece and parcel of the below immovable properties both situated at Basapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore:

Sl No.	Sy.No.	Extent		Boundaries			
		Acres	Guntas	East by:	West by:	North by:	South by:
1.	30	00	7.33	Gundamma's Land	Maruthi Mantale's land & K Sunil Kumar's land	Munivenkatappa's Land	Yellappa's Land road
2.	31/2	00	1.50	Basapura Village Road	Gundamma's Land	Munivenkatappa's Land	Yellappa's Land Road

Issued by:
ABHIJIT ATUR, ADVOCATE
M/S AGRAA LEGAL
2nd floor, No. 19, Shivashankara plaza,
Lalbagh road, Richmond circle,Bangalore - 560 027
admin@agraalegal.com *Ph : (080) 41680004*

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 09/08/2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

This to the notice of the General Public that my client, have lost the following **ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS** all pertaining to property No. 2 (earlier No.2 and 5/1), PID No. 77-5-2, Raja Ram Mohan Roy Road, earlier known as Sampangi Tank Road, Ward No.110, Bangalore.

DEED / DATED	EXECUTED BY	IN FAVOR OF	DOCUMENT / REGISTRATION DETAILS
Gift Deed/ 04-04-1952	Codanda Chinnamma Cariappa & C.M.Cariappa	Bolly Baldwin	No.55/1951-52, Book-I, Vol 1189, Pg 140-143, Sub-Registrar, Bangalore City
WILL/ 03.07.1996	Bolly Cariappa Hindley	------	No.156/1996-97, Book-III, Vol 168, Pg 74-78, Sub-Registrar, Gandhinagar, Bangalore
28.02.1997	Peter Baldwin	Bolly Cariappa Hindley	Special Power of Attorney
28.02.1997	Nina Baldwin		Special Power of Attorney
03.01.2005	Nina Baldwin Eddy	John Curtis	Special Power of Attorney
03.01.2005	Nina Baldwin Eddy	John Curtis	Special Power of Attorney
03.01.2005	Capt. Peter Baldwin Jr.	John Curtis	Special Power of Attorney
03.01.2005	Capt. Peter Baldwin Jr.	John Curtis	Special Power of Attorney
Probate / 27.07.2002	High Court of Karnataka	------	Civil Petition No.24/2000

Online Police Complaint of the above loss has been lodged with the Bangalore City Police on **09/8/2022**. If any person is in possession/finds the said **ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS** is hereby requested to return the same to the undersigned and he/she shall be suitably rewarded.

The general public is hereby further cautioned that whoever is in possession of the above said **ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS** has no manner of right, title, interest or claim over the said Property. And if anyone deals with the said person/s regarding the said Property shall be doing so at his/her own peril, risk and consequences and the same shall not be binding on my client.

Sd/- VINCENT KUMAR RAYAPPA, Advocate,
409, 1st Block, RT Nagar, Bangalore – 560 032,
Ph: 998 0707 454, Email Id: law.vincentr@gmail.com

Date : 12-08-2022
Place : Bangalore

LOST

This is to inform the General Public that I have lost page No.9 of the original Sale Deed executed in favour of me and my wife Mrs. Chitra Govindan **dated: 03-12-2012** and registered as Document No. **JAY-1-04515-2012-13 of Book-1,** stored in C.D. No. **JAYD159,** registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar, Bangalore, with regard to Flat No. 103, Block A-3 'Paramount Pilatus', situated at: Arkere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore.

I have filed the required police complaint on 06-08-2022.

Finder may return the same to the address given below.

Sri. Govindan Soundararajan,
No. A 201, Royal Legend Apts,
Kodichikkanahalli Road,
Bommanahalli, Bengaluru.
Bengaluru, Date: 11-08-2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client's, SMT.S.PADMA, S/o. Sri.N.R.Ravishankar, My Client's lost/misplaced following Original Documents, 1. Original Sale Deed dated 18-09-1991 executed by the Jayanagar Co operative Housing Society Ltd in favour of Sri.N.Muniswamy, registered as Document No. 1597/1991-92 of Book-1, Volume 63, in the office of the Sub Registrar, Kengeri, Bengaluru.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing New Corporation No.74, PID No.55-21-74, formed by Jayanagar Co-operative Housing Society Ltd., Jayanagar Situated at: Kadirenahalli Village, 4th Main Road, Jayanagar HBCS, 1st Stage, Padmanabanagar, Bengaluru, Measuring East to West: 13.18 Mtrs., and North to South: 9.14 Mtrs., in all measuring 120.46 Sq. Mtrs., and bounded on the :
East by : Road; West by : Site No.71;
North by : Site No.75; South by : Site No.73.

S.B. ANGADI, ADVOCATE
No-109, "Devadatta" 1st Floor,
LIC Bhimajyoti Colony, Near Shankar Mutt,
Circle Basaveshwar Nagar, Bengaluru - 560079.
Mob: 9743497929

WESTERN RAILWAY

CONSTRUCTION WORKS

Deputy Chief Engineer (construction) II, Western Railway, Indore invites e-tender for following work: **E-Tender Notice No.: IND/RDD/Dy.CE/C/II/06 Dt. 09.08.2022 Two Packet System. Name of work : T. No. IND/RDD/ Dy.CE/C/II/06: Earthwork & Blanketing in embankment /cutting in formation of new BG double line including yards, bridge approaches etc,, Construction of bridge work (Major/Minor - foundation, sub structure and super structure) as per Railway's approved Design and Drawing, carting of steel girder component, construction of Retaining/Boundary/Toe wall, supply & spreading of machine crushed stone ballast, Laying and linking of BG track for Main line, loop lines and Points & Crossing etc in section/ yards, Transportation of P. Way materials, Welding of Rails, and other incidental miscellaneous works etc. between RAU and Dr. Ambedakar Nagar Station (9.51 Km) in connection with doubling of RAU Dr. Ambedakar Nagar Section (9.51 Km) in Ratlam Division of Western Railway. Approximate cost of work : Rs. 52,26,89,237.44; Earnest Money: Rs. 27,63,500.00; Date and Submission of bid and opening : Submission: 01.09.2022 upto 15.00 Hrs. Date and time of opening of Technical Bid : 01.09.2022 at 15.30 Hrs. Website particulars Notice Board location where complete details of tender can be seen & address of the office : www.ireps.gov.in** Office of Deputy Chief Engineer (Construction) II, Western Railway, Opposite Indore Railway Station, Near Patel Bridge, **Indore-(MP)** 452001. **0337**

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STATE BANK OF INDIA

Jalamangala Branch - 40390

Kootgal Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara Dist - 562159, E-mail: sbi.40390@sbi.co.in

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITYINTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREIN AFTER CALLED'ACT ')

Where as, State Bank of India, had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of Chapter-III of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 to your following address known to the Bank as per the records available. But the said notice got returned, unserved. The contents of the said Notices are that you have committed defaults in payment of loans granted to you by our **State Bank Of India, Jalamangala Branch, Ramanagara District.** The details of the loan and the amount outstanding are as under .

Sl. No	Name & Address of the Borrowers	N.P.A. Date and Demand Notice Date & A/c No.	Description of the Mortgaged Property
1	**Sri. T K Bettaswamy Gowda @ Bettamuniyappa S/o. Late. Kunasingraiah, Tadikavagilu Village, Kootgal Hobli, Jalamangala Post, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagar District – 562 159**	**22.01.2021** and **01.06.2022** Total Outstanding Balance: **1,54,674/-** +(inclusive of interest up to 14.12.2021) **HL - 64132036394**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Khaneshumari No 872/279/175/142,.Bolapanahalli, Ramanagara Town, Ramanagara, measuring 40' X 90". The property is standing in the name of **Sri. T K Bettaswamy Gowda @ Bettamuniyappa, S/o. Late. Kunasingraiah** and is **BOUNDED BY: East:** House of Jagadish **West:** House of Shanthalingaiah **North:** Road **South:** Govt. Halla
2	**Sri. Vijay M R S/o. T K Bettaswamy Gowda, Tadikavagilu Village, Kootgal Hobli, Jalamangala Post, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagar District – 562 159**		
3	**Smt. Prema W/o. T K Bettaswamy Gowda, Tadikavagilu Village, Kootgal Hobli, Jalamangala Post, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagar District – 562 159**		
4	**Sri. B R Anil S/o. T K Bettaswamy Gowda, Tadikavagilu Village, Kootgal Hobli, Jalamangala Post, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagar District – 562 159**		
5	**Sri. B R Sunil S/o. T K Bettaswamy Gowda, Tadikavagilu Village, Kootgal Hobli, Jalamangala Post, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagar District – 562 159**		

You are hereby called upon to pay State Bank of India, Above Mentioned Branches a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this Demand Notice, the respective amounts mentioned here above, failing which State Bank of India, Above MentionedBranches will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act against the secured assets including taking possessionof the secured assets of the Borrowers/Guarantors.The powers available to State Bank of India, under the Act include : - 1) Power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower/Guarantor including the rights of transfer by way of lease, assignment/sale and realize the secured assets. (2) take over management of the secured assets including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale and realise the secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by State Bank of India shall vest in the transferee, all rights in or in relation to the secured assets transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisionof section 13 (13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring either by way to sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business) any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also hypothecated/mortgaged to the Bank without prior consent of the State Bank of India. The Notice is issued in terms of Section 13(2) of the said Act.

Place : Ramanagara. **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 01.06.2022. **State Bank of India, Jalamangala Branch - 40390, Ramanagara District.**

FEDERAL BANK

YOUR PERFECT BANKING PARTNER

The Federal Bank Ltd., Loan Collection and Recovery Department / Bangalore Division, No.4, 2nd Cross, CSI Compound, Mission Road, Bangalore-560 027. Ph.: 22220898/ 22220897. Website: www.federalbank.co.in, CIN: L65191KL1931PLC000368

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to The Federal Bank Ltd and The South Indian Bank Ltd (Secured Creditors), the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of The Federal Bank Ltd and The South Indian Bank Ltd (Secured Creditors), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 21/09/2022 for recovery of of Rs. 25,23,83,935.59 (Rupees Twenty Five Crore Twenty Three Lakh Eighty Three Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Five and Paise Fifty Nine only due to The Federal Bank Ltd (Secured Creditor) and Rs.14,63,49,367.80 (Rupees Fourteen Crore Sixty Three Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Seven and eighty paise only) due to The South Indian Bank Ltd (secured Creditor) as on the aforesaid date of sale from (1) Mr. B.V. Sadanand, S/o. Venkataswamy Reddy, carrying on business in the name and style of M/s. MVR Chemicals and Oils & also carrying on business in the name and style of M/s. MVR. Gas, at Sy. No.400, Sarjapura Attibele Main Road, Sarajapura, Bangalore 562125 (2) Mrs. S.L. Manjula, W/o. Mr.B.V. Sadanand, (3) Ms. Sahana Reddy, D/o. Mr. B.V. Sadanand, (4) Ms. Sanjana S. Reddy, D/o. Mr.B.V. Sadanand, all R/at No. 801, MVR Nilaya, 9th Main Road, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore.

The reserve price will be **Rs.53,30,00,000 /-** (Rupees Fifty Three Crore Thirty Lakhs Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.5,33,00,000/-** (Rupees Five Crore Thirty Three Lakhs Only)

Description of the immovable property with known encumbrances: All that piece and parcel of the immoveable property bearing Sy. No. 400, E Katha No. 150200102300102680,propertyNo.2430/1122, measuring 6 Acres 2 Guntas renumbered as Junger No.1535 and Property No.400 with building measuring approximately 4998.02 sq.ft situated at Sarjapura, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal District, presently comes under the limits of Sarjapura Grama Panchayat and bounded on East by: Sarjapura- Anekal Main Road, West by: S.A.Vanajamma and SS Appanareddy's Land and North by: Land belonging to Kada Agraharada Rajashekarareddy, South bv: Property of G. Ramanatharao and Heelahalli Ramiaah and others known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank

Date of Auction: **21/09/2022 between 11.00am – 1.00 pm** (IST). The Last date of submission of Bid: 5 PM on 20/09/2022. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the website of The Federal Bank Ltd i.e. **https://www.federalbank.co.in/web/guest/tender-notices & www.bankauctions.in**

Date : 11.08.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Federal Bank Ltd.**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our clients are intending to purchase the immovable residential property being vacant site nos. which is morefully described in the schedule hereunder from Smt. L.R. Nagarathna, aged about 74 years D/o Late Raghavendra Rao L.R., R/at No.70/71, 4th Main Road, Shakambarinagar, Sarakki Main Road, Near IG Circle, J.P.Nagar 1st Main, Bengaluru-560 078. It is represented to our client that, she is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule property. Any person/s who claim any right, title or interest of any nature or any lien charge in relation to the schedule property or has any objections should lodge such claim or objections in writing with the undersigned together with supporting documents **within 10 days** from this date, failing which, it will be presumed that no valid claim or objection and our client would proceed to complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Residential Property being Vacant Site Nos.72,73,74,75,76 & 77, Old Khatha No.46/5, situated at Arakere Village, Bengur hobli, Bangalore South Taluk now coming under the limits of BBMP Ward No.193-Arakere, vide Present Khatha No.3024/46/5/72,73,74,75,76 & 77, measuring East to West: On Northern Side: 80.0 feet, On Southern Side:77.0 feet, and North to South: On Eastern Side: 64.5 feet On Western Side:85.0 feet, totally measuring 5868 square feet and bounded on **East By:** Remaining portion of same property, **West By:** Road, **North By:** Road, **South By:** Road earlier Vysya Bank Colony Road.

Address for service:
L.T.GOPAL & H.C. RAJESH, Advocates
No.115, S-4,5,6, 2nd Floor,
'Pamadi Chambers',D.V.G. Road,
Basavanagudi, Bengaluru -560 004.
Mobile No. 9845059973, 9845245676

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby informed that my clients have negotiated to purchase the below mentioned schedule propertiesfrom**Smt.Madalambike,** W/O Sri.Manjunath.C and **2.Sri.Manjunath.C** S/0 MrChannappa,Both are residing at No.33,1st Main,13thCross,Maruthinagar, Yelhanka, Benagluru North,Bengaluru-560064, whoare the absolute owners in possession of the same and its present owner.

Any person or persons asserting any right, title, interest or claim in the Schedule Property or any part thereof, in any manner whatsoever or having any claim against the Schedule Property herein or the documents thereof should write to the undersigned within SEVEN**(7)** days from the date of issuance of this notice with all documentary proof on which they are basing and asserting their rights with regard to the Schedule Property hereto or any part thereof, after which period we shall proceed on the basis that there are no claimants nor does any person/party has any claims to the Schedule Properties hereto or any part thereof.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural Land bearing Sy.No.258/3, (portion), measuring 32 ½ Guntas, situated at Bettahalasur Village, Jala-2 Hobli, Bangalore North Additional Taluk (Presently Yelahanka Taluk), Bengaluru District, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever underneath or above the surface is bounded on:
EAST by:Remaining portion of Sy.No.258/3,
WEST by:Nagadasanahalli boundary,
NORTH by:Sy.No.344,
SOUTH by:Remaining portion of Sy.No.258/3.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Old Sy.No.258/3, New Sy.No.258/18 measuring (8) Eight Guntas, situated at Bettahalasur Village, Jala-2 Hobli, Bangalore North Additional Taluk, Bengaluru District, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever underneath or above the surface is bounded on:
EAST by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
WEST by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
NORTH by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
SOUTH by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3.

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Old Sy.No.258/19, (carved out of old Survey Number 258/3), measuring (8) Eight Guntas, situated at Bettahalasur Village, Jala-2 Hobli, Bangalore North Additional Taluk, Bengaluru District, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever underneath or above the surface is bounded on:
EAST by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
WEST by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
NORTH by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3,
SOUTH by:Remaining Sy.No.258/3.

SCHEDULE 'D' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Old Sy.No.258/20, (carved out of Survey Number 258/3), measuring 1 Acre 1-1/2 Guntas, situated at Bettahalasur Village, Jala-2 Hobli, Bangalore North Additional Taluk, Bengaluru District, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever underneath or above the surface is bounded on:
EAST by:Remaining Sy.No.258/21,
WEST by:Nagadasanahalli boundary,
NORTH by:Sy.No.258/3 & Sy.No.258/19 & main road,
SOUTH by:Nagadasanahalli boundary-.
Bengaluru, Date: 11.08.2022

VENKATESH R BHAGAT
VINITH V BHAGAT
AKASH K PAREKH
Advocates
Bhagat Law Chambers,
Bhagat and Parekh Associates,
No.100, Donna Bas Tower
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बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

HAL 3rd Stage Branch

No. 42, 80 Feet Road, HAL 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-560075. Ph: 080-25280160, E-mail : vjhal@bankofbaroda.co.in, web : bankofbaroda.com

NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR
UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its **Bank of Baroda, HAL 3rd Stage Branch,** the relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder.As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

Name & address of the Borrower/Co-Borrower/Mortgagor: Sri Vigneshwara Enterprises, # 69/2, Mahadevapura Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Next to Metro Cash and Carry, Bangalore-560048. Represented by its Partners : **(1) K. Chandrashekar Shetty** S/o. Veeranna Shetty, resident of Shree Enclave, 4th Floor, Murgeshpalya, Old Airport Road, Bangalore-560017. **(2) Satish .K. Shetty** S/o. Manjunath Shetty, resident of No. 136/2, 13th Main Road, 5th Cross, Kodihalli HAL 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560008. **(3) Ravindra .S. Mogaveera** S/o. Sheena Mogaveera, resident of No. 13/4, Ground Floor, 13th Main, 5th Cross, HAL 3rd Stage, Kodihalli, Bangalore-560008. **(4) Krishnappa Nagaraj** S/o. Krishnappa Bale, rfesident of No. 394, Old No. 349/19, 19th Main Road, Allamprabhu Road, G.P. Rajarathnam Road, Hanumanthnagar, Bangalore-560019.

Sl. No	Nature & Type of facility	Limit (Rs.) in lakhs	Rate of Interst	O/s Bal as on 02.06.2022 (inclusive of interest upto 30.04.2022)
1	Term Loan -1 89570600000405	Rs. 540.00	1 yr. MCLR+4.85 % p.a. i.e 13.35% p.a	Rs. 540,99,288.50 Add. interest reversal upto 31.05.2022 Rs. 27,77,837.28 Total Rs. 5,68,77,125.78
2	Term Loan -2 89570600000583	Rs. 260.00	1 yr. MCLR+4.85 % p.a. i.e 13.35% p.a	Rs. 2,53,30,324.50 Add. interest reversal upto 31.05.2022 Rs. 35,18,980.81 Total Rs. 2,88,49,305.31
3	WCTL 89570600002247	Rs. 12.91	9.10% Prime lending rate	Rs. 12,67,273.62 Add. interest reversal upto 31.05.2022 Rs. 86,458.80 Total Rs. 13,53,732.42
4	WCTL 89570600002248	Rs. 19.55	7.60% Prime lending rate	Rs. 18,74,077.88 Add. interest reversal upto 31.05.2022 Rs. 1,11,756.00 Total Rs. 19,85,833.88
			TOTAL	Rs. 8,90,65,997.39

Description of Property: Primary Security : 1) Lease hold rights on leased property in the name of Sri R. Arun and the same has been leased to Sri K. Chandrashekar Shetty one of the partners of the firm for the period for 15 years vide registered lease deed.

EMTD of all that piece and parcel of the property of western portion of the converted land property bearing no 69/2, which measuring a portion to an extent or east to West 56.7ft, and North to South: 174.3ft which total measuring 30531 sq.ft. or out of 18.75 guntas situated at Mahadevapura Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, in vide; conversion order No. ALN: (SR)4513/365/73-74, dated 25.01.1975 of land area, to be constructed as "Star Hotel", consisting of Basement 5000 sq. ft., Ground Floor, First Floor & Second Floor with well furnished with all appurtenance, privileges and amenities and bounded on: East by : Remaining land in Sy. No. 69/2, alloted to Sri. Mohan .R, West by : Mr. Anantharamaiah property in Sy. No. 69/2, South by : Remaining property bearing Sy. No. 69/2.

(2) Hypothecation of furniture fixtures and other equipment to be purchased & other interior and granite work.

Collateral Security (3) EMTD of all that piece and parcel of property bearing old No. 394 then 349/19, presently PID No. 52-4-31 situated at 19th Main Road, adjusted site sunkenahalli, presently GP Rajarathnam Road, Hanumanthanagar, Coming under purview of BBMP ward No. 52, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 45 Feet and North to South 30 Feet with building on it, bounded by : East by : Property 420, West by : Road, North by : Property No. 395, South by : Property No. 393.

(4) EMTD of all that piece and parcel of house property bearing No. 36/89-113, situated at Allamaprabhu Road, Gavipura Extenion, BBMP Ward No. 52, Hanumanthnagar, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 75 feet with building on it, bounded on East by : property purchased by others from Smt. Venkubayamma and then Road, West By : Seenappa's house, North by : 6.4 Feet passage, South by : Road.

Amount Outstanding: Rs. 8,40,13,651.55 (Rupees Eight Crore Forty Lakhs Thirteen thousand Six hundred and Fifty five and paisa Fifty Five only) with interest from 19.04.2021 thereon and other Charges.

NPA Date: 31.03.2022 **Demand Notice Date: 02.06.2022**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Date: 11.08.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore. **Bank of Baroda**

IN THE COURT OF THE CCH-12 XVI ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE
G AND WC 43/2022

PETITIONER: Sameena W/o Late Mohammed Gaiyaz, aged about 46 years, D/o Late. Mohammed Sharieff,

2. Mohammed Ali, S/o Late Mohammed Gaiyaz Sharieff, aged about 14 years, Petitioner No.2 is minor, Represented by his natural guardian mother Sameena i.e., Petitioner No.1 Both are R/at No.37/1, Sultan Ji Gunta Road, Near Madeena Masjid, Bamboo Bazaar, Shivajinagar, H.K.P. Road, Bangalore-560001. **-V/s-**

RESPONDENT: Nil

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner No. 1 in above named has filed petition before this court under Section 7 and 8 OF THE GUARDIANS AND WARDS ACT for the grant of guardianship certificate in favour of the Petitioner No.2. This notice is hereby issued to this Respondent(s) regarding the institution of this Petition.

If any person has any objection to the grant of permission to the Petitioner no. 1 for appointment as the legal guardian of the minor child i.e., Petitioner No.2 hereby called to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **08-09-2022** at 11 am inform to show causes against the Petitioners failing wherein the appearance will he heard and decreed as Exparte/considered.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the movable property with respective of PF and EDLI account in office provident Fund Organization, Sub-regional Office, Bhavishyanidhi Bhavan, No. 2, Maruthi Complex, 60 feet road, 1st A Main Road, HIG 'A' Sector, Near SBI, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064, having PF No. BGBNG/ 42194/11 sum of Rs. 85,420/- (Rupees Eighty Five Thousand Four Twenty Only) being the PF amount and a sum of Rs. 2,10,824/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Ten Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty Four only) being EDLI amount in total a sum of Rs. 2,96,244/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Two Hundred and Forty Four Only), with respective Late Mohammed Gaiyaz.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on 28-07-2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court , Bangalore.

Address for Service:
Mrs. Bhaskara Tejaswini, Advocate
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POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice dated **24.05.2022** calling upon the Borrower, **Mr.R.Nouman Suhail**, S/o.Mr.B.Rizwan Khan, Proprietor, M/s A.R.M.Corporation and the **Guarantor / Mortgagor, Mrs.Rokhiya Bano,** W/o.Mr.Rizwan Khan, both residing at No.316, Jeevanpur, Mohalla Daira, Channapatna, Ramanagara District, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.28,00,716.69 (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakh Seven Hundred Sixteen and Paise Sixty Nine only) {ie Rs.23,73,469/-** in **Overdraft account, Rs.1,02,421.69 in Term Loan-I and Rs.3,24,826.00 in Term Loan -II}** as on **01.05.2022** plus future interest thereon from **02.05.2022** and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower and the Guarantor / Mortgagor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower, Guarantor/ Mortgagor and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **8th day of August, 2022.**

The borrower's / guarantor's / Mortgagor's attention is hereby invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrower and the Guarantor / Mortgagor in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Channapatna Branch for Rs.28,52,315.51 (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakh Fifty Two Thousand Three Hundred Fifteen and Paise Fifty one only) {i.e, Rs.24,16,996.00 in Overdraft, Rs.1,02,872.51 in Term Loan-I and Rs.3,32,447.00 in Term Loan -II as on 31.07.2022** with future interest from **01.08.2022** and costs thereon (Less recovery, if any, after **31.07.2022).**

Description of the Property : Land to an extent of 1800 sq.ft and shop & residential building constructed thereat bearing Khaneshumari No.9/123/30, E Khatha No.152900103100100230 Near Khizer Masjid, Thattegere, Vandharaguppe Panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapatna Taluk, Ramanagara District including all amenities standing in the name of Mrs.Rukhiya Bano. Boundaries: North : Road, South: Site No.29, East : Site No.19, West : 15 Feet wide Road.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited
Date : 08.08.2022 **Bengaluru Region (For Channapatna Branch)**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we are investigating the title of the landowner i.e., Venkataswamy Reddy, Shamanna, Somashekhar Reddy and legal heirs of Balakrishna relating to the below agricultural land bearing Survey No. 104/1B measuring 3 acres 20 guntas inclusive of 1 guntas 'B' kharab, situated at Doddakannelli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and hereinafter referred to as **"Schedule Property"**.

If any person/s, entity, firm, institution (corporate or otherwise) having any claim/s any right, title, interest, pending litigation or demand of any nature in or upon the Schedule Property or any part thereof, the same may be brought to the notice of the undersigned in writing together with all details of the right, title, interest, claim, pending litigation or demand made together with supporting documents within **fourteen** (14) days from the date of this notice, failing which it shall be presumed that the title of the landowners in relation to their respective ownership with respect to the Schedule Property is clear, marketable and free from encumbrance/s of any kind whatsoever and no person has any right, title or interest of any nature whatsoever in the Schedule Property or any part thereof. Claims or alleged interest, if any, which are not received within **fourteen** (14) days from the date of publication of this notice shall be deemed to have been waived and disregarded for all intents and purposes and shall not be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing Survey No. 104/1B measuring 3 acres 20 guntas inclusive of 1 gunta 'B' kharab, situated at Doddakannelli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and bounded as follows:
E : Remaining portion of Sy.No. 104/8;
W : Property in Sy.No. 104/1A;
N : Road;
S : Property in Sy.No. 105 and 106.

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POSSESSION NOTICE [Section 13(4)] (Rule-8(1)) (for Immovable property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **18.02.2022** calling upon the borrower **Mr. Ramanujam Y and Mrs.Uma R Naidu and Guarantor Mr.Yathiraju Naidu. A.V and Mrs. Sunanda Yathiraju** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.19,89,486.82 (Rupees Nineteen Lakh Eighty Nine Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Six and Paisa Eighty Two Only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **08.08.2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank for an amount of **Rs.20,97,918.55** and interest thereon.

The borrowers attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Second Floor portion constructed on the property bearing No1324, present BBMP Khata No. 1324/2, 18th B Main Road, J P Nagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore, along with 1/3rd undivided share, Right, Title and Interest in the entire Land and The Ground Floor measuring 1050 Sq Ft. and the entire Land is Bounded on the : **East by :** Site No.1355, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No.1323 and **South By :** Site No.1325.

Date : 08.08.2022 Authorised Officer
Place : Bangalore Canara Bank

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WHEN YOU REACH THE END OF YOUR ROPE, TIE A KNOT IN IT AND HANG ON
FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

Madras HC on Thursday reserved orders on the petitions filed by former CM O Panneerselvam and general council member P Vairamuthu challenging the July 11 general council meeting of the AIADMK, which paved way for the election of Edappadi K Palaniswami as interim general secretary

Rajiv assassination case: Nalini seeks early release

Refers to court permitting release of another convict Perarivalan

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@New Delhi

NALINI Sriharan, one of the convicts serving life imprisonment in connection with the assassination of former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, on Thursday, moved the Supreme Court, seeking premature release.

Challenging the Madras High Court which dismissed her plea seeking relief in June, Nalini referred to a judgment of the apex court permitting the release of another convict in the matter AG Perarivalan, who had served over 30 years in prison, in May. The Court was of the opinion that the inordinate delay in deciding his early release plea by the Governor under Article 161 warranted his release.

However, the Madras High Court had refused to order the premature release of Nalini without the consent of the Governor. A similar petition filed by co-convict S Ravichandran was also dismissed by the court. The high court had said they could approach the Supreme Court if their plea was based on Perarivalan's release.

Before the High Court Nalini had contended that by failing to act at the aid and advice of the Council of Ministers that had recommended her release in September 2018, the Tamil Nadu Governor had acted ultra vires. She contended that what the Governor had done was unconstitutional as he sat on the recommendations of the Cabinet for two years and then forwarded them to the President.

Following Perarivalan's release, Ravichandran shot off a letter to Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin seeking the release of the remaining six convicts, including him. He wrote that the Governor had kept the files of release without consideration for over three years which he condemned as an anti-constitutional approach.

Deciding Perarivalan's plea for premature release from jail based on the recommendation made by the Tamil Nadu government in September 2018, the apex court ordered his release, while the six other convicts remain in jail. Ravichandran in his appeal against the High Court order has also cited Perarivalan's order of the apex court.

Gandhi was assassinated on the night of May 21, 1991, at Sriperumbudur in Tamil Nadu by a woman suicide bomber, identified as Dhanu, during an election rally.

Naidu to hoist tricolour in Guntur on August 15

The TDP will organise Har Ghar Tirangaa programme across AP from August 13 to 15. TDP supremo N Chandrababu Naidu will hoist the Tricolour in Guntur on August 15.

Veterans to make way for youth in TDP?

S VISWANATH @ Vijayawada

WITH TDP supremo and former Andhra Pradesh CM N Chandrababu Naidu announcing 40% of party tickets to youth in the ensuing elections, the Telugu Desam leadership has laid emphasis on identifying young leaders with winning prospects. As several young leaders, heirs of TDP seniors, are playing an active role in the party programmes, the TDP leadership has decided to constitute a committee to pick up young leaders with leadership qualities. The TDP Politburo special meeting held under the chairmanship of Naidu recently, discussed at length on involving youth in party affairs.

Speaking to *TNIE*, a Politburo member said TDP general secretary Nara Lokesh came up with a proposal to constitute a committee to draw a clear policy in the direction of giving priority to the youth in the party. All the members of the Politburo echoed the same opinion. It was resolved to constitute a committee, which will make a comprehensive study and submit a report to the party with suggestions on injecting new blood into the party. Generally, around 25% of candidates are being replaced with new nominees in every election. With the TDP supremo's decision to allot 40% of seats to young leaders, the number of new faces in the next elections is set to go up, said a senior leader.

TEMPLE VISIT

Former Karnataka CM and senior BJP leader BS Yediyurappa offered prayers at the Sri Raghavendra Swamy mutt in Mantralayam on Thursday | EXPRESS

KCR cabinet blames Centre for dragging down T'gana's growth

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Hyderabad

THE Telangana Cabinet, which met here on Thursday expressed serious displeasure over the "incoherent" policies of the Central government, which were "badly affecting" the economic growth of the State. "There is an abnormal delay in the transfer of Central funds to the State due to the new system of Single Nodal Account (SNA) being implemented by the Centre," it was stated in the five-hour long Cabinet meeting, chaired by Chief Minister K Chandrasekhar Rao. The main focus of the Cabinet meeting was on mobilising additional financial resources, in the wake of Centre's cut in the FRBM limit and others. However, there was no mention in the official release from the Chief Minister's Office (CMO) on the plans of the State government to mobilise additional resources.

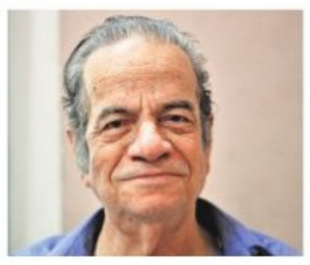
The Cabinet voiced that the State could not achieve much growth owing to the Centre's polices. "If the Central government's performance too was good, then the State' Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) would be ₹3 lakh crore higher than the present ₹11.50 lakh crore. The GSDP of the State might have touched ₹14.5 lakh crore, if the Centre's policies are good," the CM opined.

With just 2.5% of the country's population, Telangana contributed five per cent income to the nation. The State stood in first place in the county with 11.5 per cent growth in State's own revenues

K Chandrasekhar Rao, Telangana CM

"With just 2.5 per cent of the country's population, Telangana contributed five per cent income to the nation. The State stood in first place in the county with 11.5 per cent growth in State's own revenues," Rao said. Finance officials informed the CM that the State registered a growth rate of 15.3 per cent this financial year, despite the fact that the Central funds to the State had decreased by 12.9 per cent.

The cabinet also expressed displeasure over the cut in market borrowings under the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act (FRBM). If there were no cuts in the FRBM loan limit, then the State would have registered 22 per cent growth, the cabinet felt.



Noted singer Shivamogga Subbanna passes away

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

NOTED sugama sangeetha singer **Shivamogga Subbanna** passed away on Thursday night. He was 83. He was on his way to a private hospital for treatment, when he suffered a massive heart attack. He is survived by his wife, a daughter and a son. Subbanna has received several awards including National Film Award for Best Male Playback Singer in 1978 for the song 'Kaadu Kudure Odi Banditta' in the film 'Kaadu Kudure'.

Hailing from a family of musicians and scholars, G Subramanya, popularly known as Shivamogga Subbanna, also served as an advocate. In his initial days of singing, people often confused him with singer S P Balasubramanyam, as their names sounded familiar. It was due to this reason that poet Lakshminarayana Bhat gave him the name Shivamogga Subbanna.

Subbanna sang many songs penned by Shishunala Shariff, including 'Kodagana Koli Nungitta', 'Alabeda Tangi Alabeda' and 'Biddiyabbe Muduki' and made them popular. He was also an 'A' grade artist at Akashvani.

Subbanna performed in several countries including US and Singapore. In 2008, he received an Honorary Doctorate from Kuvempu University in Shivamogga.

Kerala HC upholds ex-min Isaac's 'right to privacy'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Kochi

IN a moral victory to **TM Thomas Isaac**, the Kerala High Court on Thursday reminded the Enforcement Directorate of his "right to privacy" and directed the agency to explain why the former finance minister was asked to produce private information at the preliminary stage of the case.

Justice V G Arun raised the query when a petition filed by Isaac challenging the ED's summons, asking him to appear before it in connection with the financial transactions of the KIIFB, came up for hearing. The agency had sent him two summonses, and the second one had asked him to produce the details of his movable and immovable properties.

ED's counsel undertook that Isaac need not appear before it till Wednesday, which is the next date of hearing. The court orally observed that it did not want to record the undertaking, but it would be there.

"He has a right to privacy and that can't be breached without following the procedure established by law. It can be done for reasons," the court observed. But in this case, the agency asked for all these documents in the first instance. At the preliminary stage itself can a person be asked to produce all these documents. It depends on the subsequent satisfaction of the officer who is conducting the inquiry, it said.

"What is the material before you for asking to produce all these materials? To ask someone to produce all private information, the reason has to be explained. I don't say that he should not be summoned. If it is required he has to be summoned," the court observed orally. Rather than the summons, it seems that the objectionable part was that the ED is asking to produce all these documents, including personal details, the court observed. "The first summons is only for the identification details. Then why the sudden shift as the second summons is asking all these details?" The court said it wants an answer on the reasons for requiring him to produce all these documents which are purely personal in the first instance.

ED's counsel sought time to respond to the questions, and the court posted the case for next Wednesday.

MORE HOUSES COLLAPSE IN HASSAN DISTRICT

Hassan: More public and private properties were damaged due to heavy rain in several parts of Hassan taluk. Houses belonging to Rachappa and Nanjesh from Malagalale village of Sakleshpur taluk and Hebbalu of Belur taluk, respectively collapsed on Thursday. Revenue officials rushed to the spot and issued compensation cheques to the affected and shifted them to relief centres. AEE of public works department Narasimiah who visited the spot said compensation as per SDRF will be released for the affected families soon. A detailed report on the condition of tanks, roads and drainages will also be sent to the administration, he added.

Schoolchildren cross a flooded road on an earthmover in Sakleshpur taluk of Hassan district on Thursday | EXPRESS

HIRAKUD DAM OPENS 10 GATES AFTER HEAVY RAIN ON UPSTREAM

Sambalpur (Odisha): The authorities of Hirakud dam reservoir on Thursday released floodwater through 10 sluice gates following incessant rainfall on the upstream. Dam officials said in the morning, the water level stood at 611.83 ft against the full reservoir level of 630 ft. After continuous rainfall, the average inflow increased to 2,96,572 cusecs while the outflow was 39,790 cusecs. Subsequently, the decision was taken to release water through the gates. Due to heavy rains since the last more than 72 hours, the dam authorities opened 10 gates in two phases. Currently, floodwater is being released through six gates on the left and four on the right. This year's first floodwater was released on July 18 through five gates when the water level stood at 613.71 ft. On July 31, all the gates were closed due to low inflow into the reservoir.

Group clash leaves 2 dead in Koppal

SHREEPADA AYACHIT @ Koppal

TWO persons were killed and one injured following a group clash between members of two communities over choice of ground for Moharram celebrations at Hulihyder village in Kanakagiri taluk of Koppal district on Thursday morning.

The deceased have been identified as Yankappa Talavar (60) and Bhashasab (22). The condition of the injured Dharmanna (20), who has been admitted to a hospital in Koppal, is said to be serious. According to police, there has been a long-standing land dispute between the two communities in Hulihyder over installation of Maharshi Valmiki statue. As the same land was chosen for Moharram celebrations, it led to a group clash between the two communities and incidents of stone pelting were also reported.

Additional police forces have been deployed in the village. Neither residents are coming out of their homes nor persons are allowed to enter the village after the incident took place, local residents told TNIE over phone on Thursday.

Meanwhile, prohibitory orders under CrPC Section 144 have been imposed till August 20 in the village.

Victim watched movie 20 times, says family

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"HE might have watched 'Arundhati' at least 15-20 times and was obsessed with some horror scenes shown in the movie. We wanted him to study well and have a good career. Unfortunately, his addiction for movies claimed his life," regretted Raju, a close relative who is also a lecturer. A video of the victim asking his father Siddappa to get "salvation" soon after he immolated himself went viral on social media. Renukaprasad used to keep moving from one place to another and was jobless. "It is a matter of concern how he managed to buy 20 litres of petrol from a bunk nearby, of which he used one litre to immolate himself", police said. Kodigenahalli police have registered a FIR case and are investigating the case.

Forum wants fair probe into Dalit leader's death

ENS @Mangaluru

VARIOUS organisations from Dakshina Kannada demanded a fair probe into the death of Dalit leader P Deekaiah.

Addressing a press conference here on Thursday, Lolaksha, Samata Sainik Dal state general secretary said, "Deekaiah was laying in a pool of blood at his residence in Belthangady and he was immediately rushed to the hospital on July 7 in an unconscious state. He succumbed on July 8 and the final rites were performed on July 9. His family members suspected foul play and lodged a complaint with Belthangady police. The body was exhumed from the burial ground and a post-mortem was conducted in the presence of Belthangady tahsildar and local police."

He said, "Doctors from the private hospital did not conduct a post-mortem despite finding a head injury. When the family tried to get proper information about the cause of death, the doctors did not cooperate. This allegation against the doctors is a serious one and it has led to suspicion. Hence, they demanded the police probe the hospital authorities and punish the culprits."

Tumakuru to host shooting championship

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI
@ Tumakuru

Shooters practise at a range ahead of national level (open) shooting championship in Tumakuru | EXPRESS

TUMAKURU city, set to host the four-day national level (open) shooting championship from Friday, on account of the 75th anniversary of India's Independence, will create history of sorts. Local shooting talents will compete with their state and national counterparts for prize money worth Rs 5.12 lakh, in different categories of contests.

Tachus Technology, a startup launched by Rahul Mishra and team, provided technical support including electronic target systems free of cost. Shooting teams from CISF, Indian Army, MEG and others from across the country have been taking part in the mega event organised in association with the Karnataka Rifle Association, Bengaluru.

Shooting mania gripped the city with many school and college students emerging with flying colours, and national champions being trained by Vivekananda Sports and Cultural Academy led by ace shooter Anil, for a couple of years. Around 300 members were trained here.

Final year BSc student Kiran Nandana has been knocking on the doors of the Under-21 national squad. She won the bronze at the National Rifle Association India event held in New Delhi in March 2022. Kiran, daughter of Siddappa Achar, a plumber, got the knack while practising as an NCC cadet, and got a rifle sponsored by the donors to take up professional practice. "We have many such young talents, and also got sponsors to groom them. But we lack infrastructure and there is no space for fitness sessions which is essential," said Anil.

SOUND INITIATIVE

'Language Box' to save tribal tongues

R KIRUBAKARAN @Coimbatore

Students can pick up words from their language, write it on a paper in English or Tamil, and drop it in the box | EXPRESS

IN an effort to preserve endangered tribal languages that do not have a written form, a 'language box' has been installed at a residential school at Semmanarai village near Kotagiri in the Nilgiris district. Tribal students can pick up words from their language, write it on a paper in English or Tamil, and drop it in the box. Thirty-five Irula and Kurumba tribal students are studying in the school.

"Though most tribal languages do not have a written form, they have a great oral tradition. This initiative is aimed at inculcating a sense of pride among students about their language. We hope it will help improve pronunciation and interest in their native tongue. We plan to take this initiative to all tribal schools in the region," said Odiyen Lakshmanan, a writer and collector of Irula songs who has been spearheading a 'Reading and Language Retrieval Movement' for tribal children for the last few years.

"The box is like a piggy bank, but it collects words of native language which is more valuable than money. Once in six months, the box will be opened and students who contributed to it will be honoured. We plan to bring a book by compiling these words," Lakshmanan said.

According to N Thirumurthy, a researcher of tribal languages, the Nilgiris is home to eight primitive tribal groups — Toda, Kota, Irula, Aalu Kurumba, Betta Kurumba, Mullu Kuruba, Paniya and Kattunayakkars.

EDITORIAL

"My pain may be the reason for somebody's laugh. But my laugh must never be the reason for somebody's pain" — Charlie Chaplin

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— Ramnath Goenka

ORDINANCE RAJ NOT IN TUNE WITH SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY

The decision of the Kerala cabinet to convene a special assembly session from August 22 exclusively for legislation business is timely and appropriate as it offers a solution to the latest tussle between Governor Arif Mohammed Khan and the state government, and also upholds the government's commitment to ideal practices of democracy. The move followed the lapsing of 11 ordinances, which the government recommended to repromulgate, but the governor refused to sign. The architects of the Constitution had wanted all legislations to be discussed in detail by lawmakers and passed. While the provision for ordinance was included under Article 213, this indirect route was intended to be taken only if circumstances necessitate immediate action.

In PRS India's latest report, Kerala stood out for promulgating the maximum number of ordinances in 2021. While the state passed 144 ordinances, the national average (of all states) was five. Of the 144, as many as 53 were new ordinances. Considering the fact that the Kerala assembly met 61 days last year against the national average of 21 days, the state government's gambit smacks of ordinance raj, which goes against the spirit of democracy.

Ordinance raj has earned thumbs down from the Supreme Court in several cases. In the famous Krishna Kumar Singh vs State Of Bihar case, the top court had ruled that repeated repromulgation of ordinances was a fraud on the Constitution, especially when the government appears to have persistently avoided the placement of the ordinances before the legislature. The foundation of the case was the revelation that successive Bihar governors promulgated and repromulgated 256 ordinances between 1967 and 1981, without placing them at least once before the assembly. While the governor is expected to abide by the advice of a democratically elected government, Khan cannot be faulted for sending the 11 ordinances back as the government had an opportunity to bring them before the legislature in the last session that ended on July 21. With a proactive assembly and 14 subject committees to examine all new laws before they are introduced, Kerala should make framing new laws through the legislature a habit.

BJP'S ODISHA AMBITION AND GROUND REALITY

Amit Shah does not mince words. He often means what he says. When the man credited with BJP's successive historic electoral mandates asserted that the saffron party will form the next government in Odisha, the claim was bound to generate waves. At a book launch event in Bhubaneswar, the Union home minister said BJP under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visionary leadership has shed its "Hindi heartland party" tag having spread its footprints in 19 states. He predicted another victory for his party in the 2024 general elections and BJP's ascent to power in Odisha. BJD was quick to term it a "day dream".

In the run-up to the 2019 elections, Shah had set his party an ambitious Mission 120 for Odisha. BJP managed to improve its tally to 22 seats in the State Assembly but took a huge stride by winning eight Lok Sabha constituencies. However, its electoral fortunes have dwindled ever since. Against a deeply-entrenched BJD, the saffron party has floundered at every challenge—handed heavy defeats in both panchayat and municipal polls and lost all four Assembly by-elections. A strong organisational base notwithstanding, internal wrangle, absence of a chief ministerial candidate and lack of direction from the Central leadership have not helped matters.

BJD, for its part, has struck a fine balance between its poll strategy and relationship with BJP. In fact, it has proved to be more than a "friend in need", standing by NDA in all major national issues like CAA and Article 370. Wholehearted support for Droupadi Murmu's nomination as President seemed a natural choice but the regional outfit was the first to throw its weight behind Jagdeep Dhankhar as vice president too. Will BJP upset the applecart by going full throttle against BJD? Seems unlikely. In the emerging scenario of Nitish Kumar ditching it in Bihar, the party stands without an ally in the eastern front. And with a staggering solo march election after election, BJD had long gone out of BJP's Look East radar and does not figure in its Mission South. As things stand, Shah's assertion appears to be sweet talk for his partymen in Odisha.

The truth is that the post-Cold War world is diverse and largely ideology-agnostic; countries' alignments are based on issues and interests, rather than political systems

UKRAINE AND THE POST-COLD WAR DISORDER

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The war in Ukraine is in its sixth month, with no clarity on an endgame. Russia reiterates it will not back down, until it achieves its original objectives. Ukraine seeks more heavy weaponry from the West, to drive Russian forces back to their pre-war positions. NATO countries respond with lethal weapons supplies, in pursuit of a "strategic defeat" for Russia.

Nothing is said anymore about the understanding reached by Russia and Ukraine in Istanbul on March 29. Russia said it provided for a "neutral, non-aligned and non-nuclear" Ukraine, guaranteed by all stakeholders (essentially NATO and Russia). Ukraine was non-committal, but details have since appeared in western media. The agreement fell through within days. Columbia University Professor Jeffrey Sachs said recently on CNN that some western countries had persuaded Ukraine it could militarily achieve a better outcome.

The Ukraine war showcases the failure of Europe to build a sustainable post-Cold War security architecture. The Chinese sabre-rattling around Taiwan, following US House Speaker Nancy Pelosi's visit to that territory, reminds us that there is a similar disequilibrium in the Indo-Pacific.

In the fog of propaganda on the war in Ukraine, it is easy to forget that just over a year ago, it was China that was in the crosshairs, when US President Biden met President Putin in June last year. Biden was looking for a modus vivendi with Russia on their differences in Europe and Asia, so that the US could better focus its energies on the strategic challenge from China. He found Putin responsive: it is today unthinkable that he described Putin as a sober interlocutor, rationally pursuing Russia's national interest. Biden got NATO, EU and G7 countries to endorse his initiative to engage Russia and to acknowledge the challenge from China.

A US-Russia dialogue followed, on a range of mutual security concerns, which included Ukraine. The negotiations initially made reasonable progress. For reasons still shrouded in secrecy, the talks collapsed and Russia went to war.

The military situation appears to be moving towards a stalemate. The rhetoric on all sides has somewhat abated. There were curious statements from the intelligence chiefs of the US and UK, downplaying rumours of Putin's illness. The recent agreement on Ukrainian and Russian grain and fertiliser export is an encouraging development. But there is no indication of a broader dialogue. If Russia and Ukraine (backed by NATO countries) stick to their positions, we are in for a war of attrition.

The conflict has revealed some home truths about the post-Cold War world. The narrative of democracy against autocracy was not effective in mobilising support against Russia. Former National Security Advisor Shivshankar Menon points out that many democracies did not see the war that way: for different geopolitical reasons, they did not condemn Russia or impose sanctions on it. Germany's Chancellor Olaf Scholz admitted, after meeting the leaders of India, Indonesia, Senegal, South Africa and Argentina, that they have different perspectives on the war. *The Economist* highlighted another fault line. Most rich nations in North America and Europe oppose Russia's action. They account for over 70% of the world's GDP, but only 36% of its population. So, about two-thirds of the world's people live in countries that are neutral or 'Russia-leaning'. The truth is that the post-Cold War world is diverse and largely ideology-agnostic; countries' alignments are based on issues and interests, rather than political systems.

The Russia-West energy linkage has proved difficult to break. Russia's dominance in energy supplies to the western world—oil, gas, coal and uranium—made it nearly impossible to cut off foreign currency flows into Russia or its banks' access to the world. The US continues to import Russian uranium. The UK is still buying its oil. European Union countries are in difficult internal negotiations to reduce pipeline-borne oil and gas imports.

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Meanwhile, the US Treasury Secretary warned in April that a precipitous cut in oil purchases from Russia could drive up gasoline prices for American consumers. Countries like India took it as a nod to lap up Russian oil. The result is that Russia's energy revenues exceeded US$65 billion in the first quarter of 2022 (as per *The Economist*), an 80% year-on-year growth! This largesse has given Russia the war-time buffer to more than compensate for other revenue losses.

The energy dilemma will stalk Europe even after the war. It has to fast track its alternative energy programmes, bearing higher costs and accepting interim shortfalls. Renewables' output cannot be ramped up beyond a point. Part of the reason for the current crisis is that Europe's earlier projections of renewables' output proved inaccurate—the sun did not shine enough and the winds did not blow hard enough. There is also a climate impact: countries are postponing phase-out of coal-fired plants and buying high-emission shale gas.

India's foreign policy withstood the pressure to condemn Russia and join the sanctions. Its reaction flowed from its geography and historical experiences, which frame its strategic and security interests in the Eurasian space it occupies. These interests are compatible with our partnerships with the US and its allies. That this message was received on all sides is evident from the interactions of the Prime Minister and the External Affairs Minister across geographies in recent months. A genuine strategic autonomy means sustaining multiple partnerships, as dictated by national strategic and security interests.

US and European leaders routinely reiterate that territorial adjustments and status are sovereign decisions of Ukraine. This is textbook political correctness. But the reality is that the war is almost entirely funded by the US and Europe. They will also have to fund the peace that follows. They are doing so to protect the values of freedom and democracy.

These countries also have political, economic and strategic interests, which are not all identical. As the war drags on, it is inevitable that various stakeholders will move to shape the outcome most in line with their interests. In the real world, interests eventually prevail over values.

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UNSUNG HEROES OF SOUTH INDIA

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As we celebrate the 75th anniversary of our Independence, it is time we remember some of the unsung heroes from South India. Historians of the national movement have hardly looked beyond Subramaniya Bharathi, Rajaji and a few others, but there were thousands who rebelled and even gave up their lives for our freedom. In fact, the earliest revolts took place in the south, long before 1857. Yet, Madras was called "benighted" and historian David Washbrook said that "not even a single anti-British dog could be seen in the streets of Madras." How untrue!

In 1775, in response to a request from Bombay, the Madras Council decided to send the Ninth Battalion of native infantry stationed at Tiruchirapalli. They refused to go and the acting commandant Makhdum Sahib and his associates were blown away from the mouth of a cannon. Similarly, in 1795, the Indian sepoys of the Madras army refused to participate in an expedition against the Dutch in Ceylon (Sri Lanka). Needless to say, this too resulted in their death and severe punishments.

The best known opposition to the British in the Tamil region was by the 'Palayakaarars' (Poligars in English), who were independent entities protecting the lives and properties of the people in their respective *paalayams* (regions). They also collected taxes, which the East India Company (EIC) coveted. Thanks to Sivaji Ganesan, the revolt in 1799 by Veera Pandya Kattabomman, Palayakaarar of Panchalankuruchi, and his subsequent hanging are well known in Tamil Nadu. But there were others like Puli Thevar of Nelkattamseval, Chinna Thambi Varaguna, Palayakaarar of Sivagiri, and the Kallar tribes of Madurai who waged battles against the British, which ended in indiscriminate public hangings and massacres. Dheeran Chinnamalai, Palayakaarar of Palayamkottai in Kongunadu, rebelled against both Hyder Ali and the British. He won the battle but was finally captured with the help of an informer. He and his brothers were imprisoned at Sankagiri. In 1805, they were asked to accept British rule but refused, and were therefore hanged at the top of Sankagiri Fort.

When Muthu Vaduganatha Periyavudaya Thevar of Sivaganga was killed by the EIC in 1780, his wife Rani Velu Nachiyaar went away and planned her revenge for eight years. Helped by the Marudhu brothers and Thandavarayan Pillai, she attacked the EIC with her 4,000 strong batallion of women whose commander Kuyili covered herself with oil and ghee and jumped into the British ammunition depot, blowing it up and probably becoming the first suicide bomber in history. The Rani defeated the British and regained her kingdom. The Marudhu brothers, Periya Marudhu and Chinna Marudhu, were probably the first to appeal to the people of India, when Chinna Marudhu declared in 1801: *"The castes, nations, Brahmins, Kshetriyas, Vysyas, Sudras and Musselmen [Muslims] that are in the Island of Jamboo/in the Peninsula of Jamboo Dweepa this notice is given. Wherever you find any of the low wretches (Europeans), destroy them and continue to do so until they are 'exported'. Whoever serves the low wretches will never enjoy eternal bliss after death, I know this."* This was followed by the Second 'Poligar' War.

In 1806, the Indian army stationed in Vellore rebelled against their British masters—it was a large-scale and violent mutiny. Hindu sepoys were prohibited from wearing their religious marks on their foreheads, while the Muslims had to shave their beards and trim their moustaches. Further, their turbans were replaced by a hat! The rebels killed 14 officers and 115 men of the 69th regiment. A relief force of British gunners and cavalry rode from Arcot to Vellore in two hours. The gates were blown open—British superiority in armaments had won. As usual, some men were shot from the mouth of cannons, some hanged, some shot and some deported.

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It is believed that the South was untouched by the Great Revolt of 1857 but, according to the records in the Tamil Nadu archives, 1,044 sepoys of the Madras army were court-martialed for their sympathy or support to the 1857 Revolt. In North Arcot district, secret meetings were held and plans were prepared from as early as January 1857 for a war against the British. The districts of Madras, Chingleput and Coimbatore were declared as disturbed regions. In Thanjavur district, a revolutionary named Sheikh Ibraham was convicted in March 1858. Arunagiry and Krishna were rebel leaders leading the revolt in Chingleput, where an uprising took place. The Chingleput magistrate informed the Government of Madras about the seriousness of the insurgency and the two were apprehended and put to death.

If Bhagat Singh is celebrated for shooting dead a British police officer, very few remember Vanchinathan who assassinated Robert Ashe, Collector of Tirunelveli in 1911, who was responsible for closing V O Chidambaram Pillai's swadeshi shipping company and arresting him. Vanchinathan then shot himself, leaving a letter *"dedicating his life as a small contribution to my motherland."* V V S Aiyar, a revolutionary from Tamil Nadu, was involved in the plot to assassinate Ashe. He advocated and carried out militant resistance to British rule, influenced by V D Savarkar whom he met during his term as a lawyer in London. His anarchist activities forced him to seek exile in Pondicherry. When the German ship *Emden* entered the Madras harbour and blew up two oil tanks, damaged three more and a merchant ship, the British colonial government blamed this on the activities of the exiles in Pondicherry, and urged the French Governor to deport Aiyar and his companions. The French brought several charges against Aiyar and the other revolutionaries but did not convict them.

At a recent lecture in Chennai, Professor N Rajendran, former vice chancellor of Alagappa University, blamed modern historians of Tamil Nadu for failing to write about the southern contribution to the freedom movement. True. How many children or their parents have heard of these names and their revolt against colonial rule? We do not find their stories in either books of history or literature. But they were great revolutionaries, many of whom set in motion the opposition to British rule in India. *Azadi ka amrit mahotsav* is an appropriate time to remember them.

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Nitish's masterstroke

Apropos of *Bihar realignment triggers buzz on Nitish's larger goal* (August 11). Nitish Kumar played his cards very carefully. His move of resigning as CM and allying with Congress, the Left and RJD is a masterstroke. He is now Bihar CM for the 8th time! It shows his political acumen and energises the Opposition to take on BJP.

K Nehru Patnaik, Visakhapatnam

Strange bedfellows

The adage 'Politics makes strange bedfellows' is 100% true with the contemporary Bihar political developments as proof. The Nitish Kumar-led JD(U) which fought against the RJD in the Assembly elections has now suddenly become its friend. Of course, the opposition parties are elated, with dreams of defeating BJP in the 2024 elections.

S Ravindranath, Bengaluru

Kerala drug problem

Apropos of *Girl, 14, drugged and sexually abused by 16-year-old classmate* (August 11). It is shocking to hear that the boy drugged 11 other girls and abused them sexually. Drug menace in Kerala has reached a whole new level. Not a day seems to pass by without drug-related cases. It is high time for the law enforcement agencies to take action against the drug menace.

P P Sahadevan, Nileshwar

Future of Bihar

Apropos of *Nitish fires first 2024 shot after his eighth oath as CM* (August 11). Nitish Kumar's political career and PM dream run will come to a close when Bihar goes to polls, in which JD(U) will be reduced to the state of the Congress, which is at present rather weak. However, it is imperative that BJP choose more reliable political partners who cannot be swayed by daydreamers like Nitish Kumar—who upsetted NDA's apple cart.

S Lakshmi, Hyderabad

Centre's debt

Apropos of *CAG flags concerns over the Centre's debt sustainability* (August 11). These concerns need to be taken seriously by the finance minister who gives an impression that she is comfortable with the finances. Burgeoning debt and worsening debt-to-GDP ratio should be staring in the faces of the FM and the PM day in and day out—yet they still do not talk about it. The CAG needs to be congratulated for bringing the facts to the notice of all. And credit goes to TNIE for giving pride of place to this news on the front page.

Capt Raju Mathai, Kochi

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Akhilesh Yadav @yadavakhilesh
Is there anyone who hears the talk of the policemen of UP who are crying with hunger in the din of the fake festival of Amrit Mahotsav?

Mohammed Zubair @zoo_bear
Wish you a Happy Birthday @UmarKhalidJNUBhai. You are an inspiration. #HappyBirthdayUmar #MorePowerToUmar

Saket Gokhale @SaketGokhale
GST officials have threatened at least 1 out of 3 businesses in India on flimsy grounds of "non-compliance" & extorted bribes

Freebies and welfare two different things, says SC

Top court refuses to derecognise political parties for offering sops

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NOTING that freebies and social welfare schemes are two different things, the Supreme Court on Thursday said a balance has to be struck between the economy losing money and welfare measures. The court also ruled out the possibility of considering a plea for derecognising parties for making promises to give freebies.

A bench comprising Chief Justice N V Ramana and Justice Krishna Murari said the idea to de-recognise political parties for making promises to give irrational freebies during the polls was 'undemocratic' and asked stakeholders to give suggestions on this aspect before August 17. "I do not want to enter the area of de-registering a political party etc as it is an undemocratic idea.We are a democracy after all," the CJI said. However, he added that the promise to grant irrational freebies during the poll process is a 'serious issue'.

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> JUSTICE N V RAMANA, CJI

"You can call me reluctant or conservative but I do not want to encroach upon the legislative domain. I am a strict orthodox. I do not want to encroach on the areas meant for the legislature. This is a serious issue. It is not an easy thing. Let us hear others also," the bench said. The SC was hearing a PIL filed by lawyer Ashwini Upadhyay, which opposes the practice of political parties promising freebies during elections and seeks the Election Commission to invoke its powers to freeze their election symbols and cancel their registration. "Freebies and the social welfare schemes are different. Economy losing the money and the welfare of people, both have to be balanced and that is why, this debate. There must be someone who can put their vision and thoughts. Please submit something before my retirement," the CJI, who is demitting office on August 26, said.

Taking note of the submissions of senior advocate Vikas Singh, appearing for Upadhyay, the bench said it is a "serious issue and those who are getting (the freebies), they want it. Ours is a welfare state. Some may say that they are paying taxes and it has to be used for developmental processes.So both sides have to be heard by committee."

The poll panel, in its August 10 additional affidavit, told the Supreme Court that it welcomed the suggestion of setting up an expert panel to brainstorm the issue of freebies announced during elections.

PM sees shades of Bhave in Venkaiah

RICHA SHARMA @New Delhi

LAUDING former Vice President M Venkaiah Naidu, Prime Minister Narendra Modi said that he has always been a stickler for parliamentary discipline and traditions and that he knows his personal anguish and discomfort whenever there were unseemly disruptions or the dignity of the Parliament was lowered in any manner.

In a three-page farewell letter to Naidu, whose term as the vice president ended on Wednesday, the Prime Minister said, "Your energy is infectious. It can be seen in your wit and wisdom. Your one-liners are widely admired. Articulation has always been among your greatest strengths." Recalling Naidu's strengths, Modi said from the small lanes of Nellore to the vice-presidency, yours has been an outstanding and inspiring journey.

"I know of your personal anguish and discomfort whenever there were unseemly disruptions or the dignity of the Parliament was lowered in any manner. Whenever you spoke about it, there was deep pain in your voice, conveying your worry for the long-term future of our nation and the vibrancy of the Parliament," he said.

Mentioning about the key legislation passed during his tenure as Rajya Sabha chairman, the PM said: "In the five years gone by, several historic bills have been passed and you will certainly look back at them with satisfaction. I am sure the legislations on Articles 370 and 35(A) (relating to abrogation of certain sections of Article 370), which were first tabled in the Rajya Sabha, would have made you very proud."

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> Narendra Modi, PM

Recalling Naidu's strengths, PM said from the small lanes of Nellore to the vice-presidency, yours has been an outstanding and inspiring journey. "Whenever any challenge or setback came, it only strengthened your resolve to go about your work with even more courage," he added.

Recalling Naidu's tenure in the BJP organisation, the prime minister said it has also been memorable.

"As the vice president, your objective understanding of governance issues combined with your extensive ministerial experience and legislative knowledge was extremely enriching. You viewed every subject from the prism of 'Nation First' and then gave your views," Modi recalled.

The writings of Vinoba Bhave have always impressed him, the Prime Minister said. "He (Bhave) knew how to present things in a crisp manner using the most suitable words. Whenever I hear you, I see shades of the same brilliance. You have the ability to mesmerise an audience and convey things in a simple manner," Modi told Naidu.

Arvind Kejriwal, Nirmala spar over debt write-off and freebies

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WITH the matter of freebies under intense Supreme Court scrutiny, the AAP and the BJP were on Thursday locked in a high decibel sparring match over debt write-off and welfare schemes like education and health care.

Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal launched a full scale attack on the Centre alleging taxpayers' money was being used by politicians to write off loans for their rich friends. "Had these people not waived off loans worth ₹10 lakh crore for their friends, the Centre wouldn't have had to impose tax on milk-curd or stop pensions for soldiers. They also wrote off taxes worth ₹5 lakh crore for big corporations. These people spend all public money on their friends, we give it to the underprivileged," he alleged.

"Free education, medicines and ration was being given for the last 70-75 years in the country. Then why has the protest started suddenly now?" he wondered.

Hours later, finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman rapped Kejriwal for giving the issue a perverse twist. "Health and education have never been called freebies. No Indian government has ever denied them. So classifying education and health as freebies, Kerjiwal is trying to bring in a sense of worry and fear in the minds of the poor. There should be a genuine debate on this matter," Sitharaman said. Government sources also alleged that Kejriwal was deliberately framing the argument in a wrong way.

"It is wrong to classify loan write-offs as freebies, or to say the corporate tax rate cut was designed to benefit big firms. There is no justification for parties offering freebies that the exchequer cannot afford."

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> Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance minister

SUBSIDY FOR POOR WELFARE NOT FREEBIE, SAY EXPERTS

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

AS controversy erupted over freebie politics, experts and parliamentarians say that it is absurd to make fun of welfare measures that are part and parcel of policies in all welfare states.

On Thursday, the Supreme Court criticised political parties for handing out freebies ahead of elections. The court said that there is a clear distinction between welfare measures and freebies.

Earlier, Prime Minister Narendra Modi remarked that election freebies add to taxpayers' burden and prevent the country from becoming self-reliant. However, Prof Balveer Arora, chairman of the Centre for Multilevel Federalism said that welfare states provide free health and free education and these are not freebies. "These are the rights that are due to citizens," he said. He also asserted that there is a misunderstanding on the question of welfare measures and freebies. "When it comes to coming to the help of the poor and the needy, those are classified as freebies. When it comes to writing off unproductive bad loans of crores and crores by banks, as those are not considered freebies, they are called restructuring," he said.

Many opposition-ruled states say that providing subsidies for ration or power to the poor shouldn't be called freebies. It is an infringement upon states' rights, says CPM Rajya Sabha MP John Brittas. "It's a policy decision of the government. It's a welfare measure. It should be left to the states. Giving poor people their sustenance is not a freebie. If people are starving, giving free ration to them is not a freebie," he said.

Former chief election commissioner S Y Qureshi said that it was not fair to as the EC to check freebies. It is wrong to ask the Election Commission of India to be part of the committee proposed to be set up by the SC to suggest ways to deal with freebies by political parties. The EC cannot become a party to a committee, where politicians are also part of it," he said.

Pros & Cons of Incentives

Here is a look at both sides of programmes run for public hold ground

POSITIVES

REMOVING INEQUITY
The government seeks to address the issue of inequity by ensuring access to a wide range of basic facilities such as banking, electricity, housing, insurance, water etc.

PROVIDING ACCESS
Benefits under schemes like PM Awas Yojana, Swachh Bharat Mission and Jal Jeevan Mission have eliminated the excessive upfront cost of access for citizens.

USE OF TECHNOLOGY IN DIRECT TRANSFER BENEFITS
Identification of beneficiaries through the Socio Economic and Caste Census (SECC) and prioritisation based on deprivation criteria has enabled the government to assist those who need freebies the most.

GIVING MORE FOCUS TO EXPENDITURE ON GROWTH GENERATING ITEMS
Investors, both domestic and foreign, and credit rating agencies look to macro stability in terms of sustainable levels of debt and fiscal deficit.

NEGATIVES

UPSETTING INDIA'S QUEST FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
India took various initiatives at COP21 in Paris, International Solar Alliance and the COP26 in Glasgow to forge a path of growth towards intergenerational equity.

However, these objectives will be achieved through many forms of freebies.

Lowering the electricity price for some consumers, at the cost of overcharging industrial and commercial contracts, reduces competitiveness which results in slower growth.

India's inability to meet an orderly transition to an era of renewable energy critically depends on the health of state electricity boards, which is undercut by the freebie culture.

MANUFACTURING AND EMPLOYMENT
Freebies lower the quality and competitiveness of the manufacturing sector by detracting from competitive infrastructure.

They prevent growth and gainful employment.

NEW INNINGS

Dhankhar takes oath, pays tribute to Mahatma

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JAGDEEP Dhankhar on Thursday took oath as the 14th Vice President of India. He was administered the oath of office of Vice President by President Droupadi Murmu at Rashtrapati Bhavan in Delhi.

He was elected as Vice President on August 6 after defeating the opposition candidate Margaret Alva. He is also the ex-officio Chairman of the Rajya Sabha.

He won the election comfortably with 528 votes against Alva's 182.

Dhankar, 71, arrived at the Vice President's house along with his family Thursday.

To start his day, Dhankhar paid tributes at Raj Ghat, the memorial of Mahatma Gandhi. "Felt blessed, inspired and motivated to be ever in service of Bharat in serene sublimity of Raj Ghat while paying respects to pujya Bapu," he tweeted.

He was associated with the Janata Dal and the Congress and joined the BJP only in 2008. He was appointed as West Bengal governor in 2019 and was engaged in frequent run-ins with the state chief Minister Mamata Banerjee.

He began his political journey with the Janata Dal and won the Lok Sabha elections in 1989 and had a brief stint as the minister of state for parliamentary affairs under Prime Minister Chandra Shekhar.

Dhankhar is also known to have cordial ties with leaders across party lines, that would come handy as he presides over upper house.

Soon after assuming charge as the 14th Vice President of India, Jagdeep Dhankhar on Thursday visited his office as the Chairman of Rajya Sabha and interacted with officials.

CRPF officials and jawans participate in a Tiranga bike rally during the celebration of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' at Ghanta Ghar, Lal Chowk, in Srinagar on Thursday | ZAHOOR PUNJABI

Tiranga installed at 150 heritage sites will remain unfurled permanently

PARVEZ SULTAN @New Delhi

THE Indian national flag being installed at 150 heritage sites under the jurisdiction of the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) across states as part of ongoing Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM), commemoration of 75 years of Independence, will become permanent fixtures. After recommendations from circles (sub offices), the Survey selected historical structures, which are also being illuminated in tricolour on this Independence Day.

The officials, privy to the development, said that illuminations are being placed just for three days along with 'Har Ghar Tiranaga' (Tricolour at each house) starting August 13 but Indian tricolour would remain at the sites.

"Final touches are being given. The director general V Vidyawati is personally monitoring the arrangements and holding meetings with the concerned officials. As of now, there are no directions for removal of the flags from heritage sites after the hoisting ceremony on August 15. The flag masts being installed or already installed are not temporary in nature. Or the tricolour will be kept flying at least till the culmination of AKAM-August 2023," said officials.

While all major significant ASI-protected buildings will be dazzling in specially designed three-colour lights on the occasion, the 17th century tomb of Mughal royal couple, Taj Mahal, which receives maximum tourist footfall in the country, has been deliberately left out. The officials said that illumination at the marble tomb attracts insects and their excreta damages the stone hence the world famous monument was not added to list of sites for illumination.

"Taj Mahal was probably artificially illuminated for the first time for Yanni's musical concert in 1997, which took place on the Yamuna bank behind the monument. It was noticed that lights attract a lot of insects the next morning. They caused pigmentation on the marble surface. After that the Centre also explored possibilities to light up Taj Mahal at night; a study was conducted after which the idea was dropped. The same issue was also discussed in 2015 when high-mast security lights were installed there," said an official.

India and Bangladesh to enhance military ties

MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

India and Bangladesh held Defence Dialogue on Thursday in New Delhi agreeing to strengthen defence cooperation and also elevate military engagements.

The Ministry of Defence (MoD) said, "The talks covered the existing bilateral exercises and training and agreed to increase the complexity of these exercises. Various aspects of defence industrial and capability building cooperation came up for detailed discussions." This was the 4th India-Bangladesh Annual Defence Dialogue, co-chaired by Defence Secretary Dr Ajay Kumar and Principal Staff Officer of Armed Forces Division of Bangladesh Lt Gen Waker-Uz-Zaman. Brigadier Vivek Narang from the Indian side and Brigadier General Husain Muhammad Rahaman from the Bangladesh side co-chaired the meeting. Both sides emphasised the need to work closely to implement the $500 million line of credit extended by India for defence items.

The two sides reviewed the progress on various bilateral defence cooperation initiatives and expressed commitment to further elevate engagements between the Armed Forces, added the MoD. The two sides expressed satisfaction that collaboration is growing despite difficulties imposed by the pandemic. The Armed Forces of both countries continue to seek bilateral cooperation in multiple fields and the increased engagements are a positive sign for the future of the relations, the Ministry said. Dr Ajay Kumar invited the Bangladeshi delegation for the upcoming Def-Expo 2022 and stated that in the domain of defence industry both countries have great potential of cooperation in defence trade, co-development and joint production.

The TSST is a forum established to strengthen defence cooperation between the two countries through regular talks at the strategic and operational levels between the Integrated Defence Staff and the Bangladesh Armed Forces Division.

EXPRESS READ

Global warming behind animal extinction: Study

New Delhi: Scientists have unearthed evidence pointing to a strong relationship between the magnitude of mass animal extinctions and global temperature changes and the study by experts indicate that the bigger the shifts in climate, the larger the mass extinction. The study by scientists from the Department of Earth Science, Tohoku University, Japan published in a peer reviewed journal said major mass extinctions in the Phanerozoic Eon (covering 539 million years to the present) occ-urred during abrupt global climate changes accompanied by environ-mental destruction driven by large volcanic eruptions and projectile impacts.

China blocks UN blacklist of Pak terrorist

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

CHINA on Thursday again put a spanner in the works by blocking in the UN the blacklisting of a proscribed terrorist, Abdul Rauf Asghar, citing technicalities. Asghar is the deputy chief of terror outfit Jaish-i-Mohammad and the younger brother of Masood Azhar. He has been involved in the planning and execution of many terror attacks, including the hijacking of Indian Airlines aircraft IC814 (1999) and the attacks on Parliament (2001) and an IAF base in Pathankot (2016).

"It is unfortunate that the sanctions committee has been prevented from playing its role due to political considerations. China's action exposes its doublespeak and double standards when it comes to the international community's shared battle against terror," said sources. Such politically motivated actions by China, in nearly every listing of a Pak-based terrorist undermines the entire sanctity of the working of the UNSC Committees.

The proposal was moved by India, co-sponsored by the US, on August 10 to add Asghar to the UN Security Council 1267 Sanctions Committee list. China placed it on technical hold, though 14 member states of the UN Security Council were supportive of the proposal.

This is not the first time that China has obstructed the listing of terrorists in the 1267 committee. In June this year, China placed on hold a joint proposal by India and the US to place the deputy chief of the Lashkar-e-Toiba, Abdul Rehman Makki, on the sanctions list. Makki has been involved in raising funds as well as recruiting and radicalising youth to carry out attacks in India.

ANIMAL FAIRS BANNED

With over 12,800 cattle deaths due to a skin infection caused by Lumpy virus in Rajasthan, the state government has banned holding of animal fairs – besides issuing direction for control of the spread

7.3% INDIANS OWNED DIGITAL CURRENCY IN 2021: UN

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	37	24	Mumbai	34	27
Bhopal	32	28	Panaji	34	27
Jaipur	37	23	Patna	36	25
Amritsar	36	28	Lucknow	36	25
Chennai	35	26	Port Blair	36	30
Kolkata	35	26	Imphal	31	23
Srinagar	32	22	Chandigarh	35	30

'Agencies can work from my home'

Tejashwi Yadav targets Centre over action of probe agencies against Opposition leaders

RAMASHANKAR/ PREETHA NAIR
@ Patna/ New Delhi

BIHAR Deputy CM Tejashwi Yadav on Thursday chided the BJP government at the Centre, saying Central investigating agencies were free to open their offices at his residence. "We are not scared of them," he said.

Yadav's remark comes in the background of the Opposition charge that the Modi government is misusing various wings of the Central agencies against its political adversaries.

"If the agencies do not get peace even after opening their offices at my residence, I cannot help," quipped Tejashwi.

Tejashwi had earlier served the government in the same capacity from 2015 to 2017. "I am mature now. I was the leader of opposition and also led my party's campaign for the 2020 assembly elections when my father (RJD's Lalu Prasad) was not around."

He said a case against him was lodged when he was a child, "playing cricket." He asked why no action was taken against him if he had really done something wrong.

The CBI has filed chargesheets against his father Lalu, former CM Rabri Devi and Tejashwi in the 2018 IRCTC scam. The RJD leader said, "I am no longer the person who once did not even have a moustache. So many days have passed. What happened to that case?"

Earlier, JD-U national president Rajiv Ranjan Singh aka Lalan Singh had also said that his party was not afraid of the Enforcement Directorate and the CBI after a break-up with the BJP. "We are not scared of CBI, ED and Income Tax," Singh said.

Meanwhile, JD-U leader Upendra Kushwaha said Chief Minister Nitish Kumar can pose a tough challenge to Prime Minister Narendra Modi in the 2024 general elections. The BJP has alleged that Nitish's ambition to enter national politics was one of the reasons for his snapping ties with the NDA. Denying the charge, Kushwaha, president of the National Parliamentary Board of JD-U, asserted, "A tall leader like Nitish can challenge Modi."

'Bogus talk,' Nitish on Sushil Modi's claim about V-P ambition

Patna: Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar dismissed as a "joke" the remark by former deputy CM and BJP Rajya Sabha member, Sushil Kumar Modi, that he wanted to be India's Vice-President . Without naming Sushi Modi, Nitish said, "You listened to a man claiming that I wanted to be Vice-President. What a joke! It's bogus. I had no such desire. Have they forgotten how much our party supported the NDA candidates in the Presidential and Vice-Presidential polls?" He added: "They are making such claims only to regain their position in the party." Sushil Modi, who was known for his proximity with Nitish, had alleged that the JD-U chief had parted ways with the BJP after the party failed to accommodate his ambitions. ENS

Power crisis: U'khand nod to small hydro projects

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

THE Uttarakhand government has finally given its nod for setting up small hydropower projects in the state to overcome its power crisis. Uttarakhand is currently spending big money to buy power from other states to meet its domestic and industrial electricity consumption needs.

"There is a lot of potential for small hydropower projects, up to 25 MW, to come up in the state," Energy Secretary R. Meenakshi Sundaram told this newspaper. "We are preparing a policy for electricity generation through small projects and employment to youth for the same in villages," Sundaram said, adding that the state government is studying the policy of Himachal Pradesh too.

"In Uttarakhand, which is already facing power shortage, this policy is going to open avenues for new entrepreneurs to set up power projects with minimum formalities. The policy is being formulated in such a way that apart from power generation on the banks of rivers of small villages, these will provide employment to the local residents. The government is planning big reliefs on the lines of Himachal Pradesh for setting up power projects up to 25 MW," he added.

The state government's plan has been prompted by a spurt in power demand, which reached 60 million units a day as compared to 35-40 million units available daily from the central and state pools. The rest of the electricity has to be purchased from the market at a higher price.

"The state government had made a policy in 2015 for small hydropower projects up to 2MW," Sundaram said. "But due to strict rules, few entrepreneurs showed interest. Prior to this, the government had formed a panel that recommended concessions for small projects on the lines of Himachal," he added.

BHOPAL DIARY

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Old graft case haunts new Bhopal mayor

Just a day after taking oath as the Bhopal mayor, BJP leader Malti Rai has got a notice from the divisional commissioner in a case pertaining to corruption in construction of cement concrete roads in Bhopal's MP Nagar area in 2005. A total of 39 municipal councillors of that time, including Rai, were found involved in the case of corruption worth ₹85 lakh. The then Lokayukta had recommended their disqualification and recovery of the amount from them, but the case remained shut since then. Now the notice to Rai has prompted Congress to demand that she quit the post. Congress has also said the notice to her is the fallout of internal rift in BJP.

Poll debacle in some seats irks BJP cadre

The ruling BJP has claimed victory in the district as well as Janpad panchayat polls in over 80% districts. However, in some districts, where the BJP lost, the cadre has blamed party leaders, including ministers, for sabotaging their poll prospects. In Dindori, the losing candidate Jyoti Dhurve (wife of ex-MP minister Omprakash Dhurve) has blamed Union minister Faggan Singh Kulaste for the loss. In Harda, workers have blamed Agriculture Minister Kamal Patel for the debacle in three Janpad panchayats, while some in Damoh have alleged role of MP minister Gopal Bhargava and ex-minister Jayant Malaiya in the loss in panchayat head polls.

Cong's Tiranga Yatras in all 52 districts

While the ruling BJP is working day and night for the success of the *Har Ghar Tiranga* campaign across MP, the opposition Congress has come out with a three-pronged initiative to mark the 75th anniversary of Independence. The party is organising Adivasi Samman Mahotsava, Tiranga Samman Mahotsava and carrying out Tiranga Yatras in all 52 districts (with special focus on tribal belts) from Aug. 9-15. The initiative which was launched from Patalpani (Indore) by state party chief Kamal Nath is seeing similar initiatives in other parts by other leaders, including Digvijaya Singh, Vivek Tankha, Arun Yadav, Kantilal Bhuria and Suresh Pachouri.

Cong, NCP miffed as Aghadi allies fight it out over LoP post

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI
@ Mumbai

THE Maha Vikas Aghadi — the alliance of Uddhav Thackeray's Shiv Sena, the Sharad Pawar-led NCP and the Congress — appeared split over the appointment of the Leader of Opposition (LoP) in the Maharashtra Legislative Council.

The Congress has said that the Shiv Sena should have consulted it before nominating its MLC Ambadas Danve for the post.

Congress' Balasaheb Thorat, who is also the party's legislative wing leader, sought to justify the party position saying the NCP already had the chairman's post while the Shiv Sena held the number two post. "The Congress has thus staked its claim over the LoP post," he said.

"The Sena did not consult us and submitted Danve's name for the post of the Leader of Opposition to the Vidhan Bhavan. In an alliance, there should not be a communication gap. We will take it up with Uddhav Thackeray," Thorat said. State party chief Nana Patole too justified the Congress party's position on similar lines.

State NCP chief Jayant Patil said that Sena should have spoken to his party leadership. "There should have been proper coordination between all the allies. The Congress leader had discussed the matter with us before submitting their candidate's name, but the Shiv Sena did not consult us at all," Patil said.

In the 78-member council, BJP has 24 MLCs, while the Shiv Sena has 12 members and the Congress and NCP have 10 each. As per the numbers, the party or alliance with the largest number of MLCs can get the chairman's post while the second largest party gets the LoP post.

Ambadas Danve is a grassroots Shiv Sena leader from Aurangabad. He has remained steadfast in his loyalty to Uddhav in the face of a rebellion by five Shiv Sena MLAs from the region.

SAD: BJP hatching plot to curb regional parties

The Shiromani Akali Dal (SAD) on Thursday said the BJP is trying to finish regional parties but SAD will not be trounced. The SAD is now trying to revamp its rank and file. As many as 39 acting rural and urban SAD presidents on Thursday met party chief Sukhbir Singh Badal. After the meeting, Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Virsa Singh Valtoha and Mantar Singh Brar said, "The intention is to break regional parties to spread BJP's hegemony, as seen in Bihar and Maharashtra." They expressed confidence that BJP will not succeed in weakening SAD.

Eight shops got swept away in Purola area of Uttarkashi district in Uttarakhand on Wednesday night | EXPRESS

4 DROWN, MANY MISSING AS BOAT CAPSIZES IN RIVER YAMUNA

Lucknow: Four persons, including two children, were drowned in the Yamuna river while a dozen others went missing after a boat carrying them capsized in Marka police station area of Banda district on Thursday. Several among those missing are feared to be children. Around 40 people were riding the boat that was headed from Marka to Jarauli Ghat in Fatehpur district. Police said so far bodies of a woman and two children were recovered by a 10-member team of divers and boatmen who were searching for the missing till last reports came in. The rescue team saved 15 persons. The identity of those who died is yet to be ascertained. Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath expressed grief on the loss of lives and directed the district administration to carry out rescue and relief work.

Heavy rain, landslides strike MP, Himachal, Uttarakhand

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Dehradun/ Bhopal/ Chandigarh

TORRENTIAL rains and flash floods have thrown life out of gear in several parts of the country, leading to loss of lives and property in several separate incidents.

In Himachal Pradesh, two people were buried alive under debris following a landslide in Kullu district. Ten shops and three vehicles were washed away after a cloudburst hit the Deuthi panchayat in Anni tehsil on Thursday morning, Director of state disaster management department, Sudesh Mokhta, said.

At least seven persons, including a toddler girl, were swept away in flooded rivers and nullahs in Indore and Betul districts of Madhya Pradesh over last 24 hours.

In Indore, 23-year-old Jafar Khan was swept away in Chandan Nagar area, a 26-year-old woman who jumped into an overflowing nullah to save her son (who has slipped in the water body) was washed away, even as local residents saved her son. While Jafar's body was recovered on Thursday, the woman is untraceable.

In Betul district, at least five persons were lost in flooded rivers and nullahs at three places. The first mishap happened in Amla area on Wednesday, when a youth Rajendra Omkar was driving sister Sandhya and toddler niece Lavanya on a motorbike for Raksha Bandhan festival.

Unable to gauge the flow of water in Kharpada river, he drove the motorbike through the bridge, but was swept away with his sister and niece.

4 soldiers killed as fidayeen attack back in J&K

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

IN the first fidayeen attack in Jammu and Kashmir after the removal of Article 370, four soldiers were killed in a predawn attack on an Army camp in Rajouri on Thursday. The troops gunned down two suicide attackers and search is on for other terrorists who may be lurking in the vicinity.

The two slain terrorists, believed to be from Pakistan-based Jaish-e-Mohammed, attempted to storm the Army camp at 3.30 am at Pargal area of Rajouri by taking advantage of the inclement weather and dense foliage, said Senior Superintendent of Police, Rajouri, Mohammad Aslam. The militants lobbed grenades across the 7-feet high boundary and the troops returned fire. In the ensuing firefight, both the attackers were killed. However, six Army soldiers were seriously injured and four of them later succumbed to injuries.

The deceased have been identified as Subedar Rajendra Prasad R/o Rajasthan, Rifleman Lakshmanan D R/o Madurai, Tamil Nadu, Rifleman Manoj Kumar R/o Faridabad, Haryana and Rifleman Nishant Malik, R/o Hisar, Haryana.

An army official said 2 AK 47 rifles, 9 magazines, 300 rounds, 5 grenades and other administrative stores were recovered from the slain militants. Security agencies are investigating whether the militants were carrying armour piercing bullets.

The SSP said police had received general inputs about a possible militant attack and security was tightened in the border districts of Poonch and Rajouri. The police official added that suicide attackers try to inflict maximum casualties on troops when they strike but in the latest incident, alert troops managed to avert heavy casualties by neutralising the terrorists.

On the identity of the slain militants, he said they appear to be foreigners and that further investigation is going on to ascertain their identities.

Thursday's was the first fidayeen attack in Jammu and Kashmir in three years. The last attack had taken place on February 14, 2019 at Pulwama in south Kashmir, in which 40 CRPF personnel were killed and about two dozens injured after a local suicide attack rammed his explosive-laden vehicle into a CRPF bus.

ANTI-GANDHI POEM STOKES ROW, DRAWS FLAK IN GUJARAT

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA
@ Ahmedabad

RECITATION of an anti-Gandhi poem in Gandhiji's Gujarat during the celebration of 'Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav' has created a major controversy.

A line from the poem of Devakrishna Vyas, who belongs to Madhya Pradesh, reads: '*Azadi ke nayak the tum kaise khalnayak*' (you were the hero of freedom movement, but then a villain') has created a stir among the Gandhians. Congress leaders have demanded registration of an FIR against the organiser and the poet.

The recitation was a part of a joint initiative of the Akhil Bharatiya Shaikshik Sangh and Gujarat Sahitya Akademi by Gulabdas Broker Chair in Gujarati Bhasha Sahitya Bhavan. It recently organized an 'Akhand Kavya Sammelan' — a continuous poetry recitation — in Saurashtra University.

The programme included round-the-clock recitation by 75 poets. Vyas, who comes from Dewas, recited his poem titled '*Hame adhuri di azaadi, bina khadag aur dhal ki*' (we got only half of our freedom, without a sword and the armour).

Vyas' poem questions the "obduracy" of Jinnah, and rues how the Congress "humiliated" Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and bowed to Nehru.

Economics professor and Gandhian philosopher Hemant Kumar Shah says the poem is a part of the saffron fashion of demeaning Gandhi. "Not only is the poet ignorant of real history but he is also making himself a fool by blindly following the RSS lies. The poet does not know what Gandhi stood for and what he represents today for mankind," said Shah.

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Hemant Kumar Shah, Gandhian philosopher

Nidit Barot, the leader of the Gujarat Professionals' Congress, said the poem insults Gandhi's philosophy. "Manoj Joshi, the coordinator of Gulabdas Broker Chair, also appreciated the poem. We demand Joshi's resignation and an FIR against the poet," he said.

Dr. Girish Bhimani, Chancellor in-charge of Saurashtra University, said a probe would be conducted about the program. "Appropriate action will be taken," he said.

This is not the first time an attempt has been made to defame Gandhi in Gujarat.

Sometime back, a school in Valsad organised a declamation contest for students of class 5-8 with the title 'Nathuram Godse: My ideal or hero.' A student who spoke in a derogatory manner about Gandhi was declared winner.

In another incident last year on Independence Day, the Hindu Sena had installed Nathuram Godse's statue in Jamnagar. Later a Congress leader vandalised the statue.

NORTHEAST

Assam, Arunachal form panels to solve border row

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Guwahati

ASSAM and Arunachal Pradesh have constituted 12 'regional committees' each as a prelude to resolve their long-standing boundary disputes.

The committees will conduct joint visits to the disputed sites, covering 123 villages in eight districts of Assam and 12 districts of Arunachal and make their recommendations after taking into consideration historical perspective, administrative convenience, contiguity and people's will to delineate the boundary.

The Assam government said it is working with Arunachal for early settlement of the disputes. Minister Atul Bora chaired the Assam Regional Committee Meet on Thursday, after which a decision was taken on the joint visits. The committees will submit their reports by Sept. 15.

MP tribal woman stripped, assaulted in public and abducted by jilted lover

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

A tribal woman was stripped and assaulted by her alleged lover and his aides in front of her husband and sister-in-law in full public view in Jhabua district on Thursday. The accused also succeeded in abducting the woman in the semi-stripped state on a motorcycle and sped away from the spot.

The incident took place in Ruparel village of Raipuria police station area. A video of the incident showing the semi-nude woman being assaulted by the accused and his aides has also gone viral. In the same video, the accused are also seen assaulting the woman's husband and sister-in-law when they try to save the victim.

Just after the video went viral, the Jhabua district police superintendent, Arvind Tiwari, formed separate teams to track the abducted woman and nab the accused.

"Our teams succeeded in tracking the woman within an hour after the police operation was started. Also, four of the six accused, including the prime accused (the woman's jilted lover) Mukesh Katara, have been arrested and booked under IPC Sections 147, 148, 149, 323, 294, 506, 364 and 354," Tiwari told this newspaper.

Primary investigation based on the recording of the woman's statements and questioning of the arrested accused revealed that the woman had left her house and started living with Mukesh around eight months back.

She, however, returned to her husband on Wednesday, leaving Mukesh behind.

Angry over the development, Mukesh with five aides, went to the woman's village on Thursday, and forced their way into the woman's house. They allegedly stripped and assaulted her, besides her husband and sister-in-law.

Both the woman and her jilted lover hail from the same Bhil tribe, which is the dominant tribe in Jhabua district.

This is the third such incident of abuse involving tribal women by people of their own clan in west MP districts in the last month and a half.

Similar incidents of assault on women by kin for leaving husband and living with alleged paramours were recently reported from Dewas and Khargone districts.

Swift police action to rescue victim

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NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **Canara Bank, Industrial Finance Branch (1927)** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledgement returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1) Name and Address of the Borrower / Guarantor : 1. Siddarth Logistics, No.2212, 22nd Floor, World Trade Centre, Brigade Gateway, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Bangalore-560055. **2. Shri. Siddaiah K,** Flat No.2, 1st Floor, Carona Wing, Brigade Gateway Aptmts, Bangalore-560085. **3. Shri. Chandra Babu Kotakanda,** 151, Gudarla Banda Pakala Gorpadu, Chittoor, Andhrapradesh-517112.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Sl. No.	Account No.	NATURE OF LOAN/LIMIT	LIABILITY WITH INTEREST AS ON DATE 25.07.2022	RATE OF INTEREST
1	1927603000030	**Canara Vehicle Rs.21,96,000/-** (Rupees Twenty One Lakh Ninety Six Thousand Only)	**Rs.10,64,218.24** (Rupees Ten Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand Two Hundred and Eighteen and Twenty Four Paise Only)	9.85 %
2	1927619000014	**Housing Loan Rs.82,50,000/-** (Rupees Eighty Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)	**Rs.82,21,638.08** (Rupees Eight Two Lakhs Twenty One Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty Eight and Eight Paise Only)	9.60%
3	1927619000015	**Housing Loan Rs.10,00,000/-** (Rupees Ten Lakhs Only)	**Rs.8,25,769/-** (Rupees Eight Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Nine Only)	9.60%

Total Liability Amount: Rs.1,01,11,625.32 (Rupees One Crore One Lakh Eleven Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Five and Thirty Two Paise Only) **(Rs.10,64,218.24 + Rs.82,21,638.08 + Rs.8,25,769/-)** with interest thereon.

NPA Date : 24.07.2022 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.07.2022**

Details of Security Assets:

Sl No	Movable	Name of Title holder
1.	Toyota Innova.Crysta 2.4Z (7 Seater) Engine Number 2GDA225820 CHASIS No MBJAB3EM502523975	**M/s Siddarth Logistics**
	Immovable	
2.	Land and Building Bearing No.1178 in Sy No.126, Bagalkunte Village, Yeshwantpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bounded by: East : Property No.51, West : Road, North : Property No.49, South : Panchayath Road.	**Shri. Siddaiah K**

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 11.08.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

Maha Rashtra Apex Corporation Limited

ESTD 1943

Regd. Office 3rd Floor, Front Wing North Block, Manipal Centre 47, Dickenson Road, BENGALURU - 560 042
CIN-L85110KA1943PLC001177, website www.maharashtraapex.com. Email-mracl.ho@manipal.com. Tel: 080-40313131

EXTRACT OF STANDALONE AND CONSOLIDATED UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE,2022.

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No	Particulars	Standalone			Consolidated		
		Quarter ended		Year ended	Quarter ended		Year ended
		30.06.2022 (Unaudited)	30.06.2021 (Unaudited)	31.03.2022 (Audited)	30.06.2022 (Unaudited)	30.06.2021 (Unaudited)	31.03.2022 (Audited)
1.	Total Income from Operations	234.26	53.78	588.59	386.93	93.57	827.05
2.	Net Profit for the period before tax and exceptional items	85.55	21.80	439.84	191.17	26.07	192.63
3.	Net Profit for the period after tax exceptional items	88.84	21.66	71.63	161.50	55.35	149.78
4.	Paid up equity Share Capital	1409.19	1409.19	1409.19	1409.19	1409.19	1409.19
5.	Other equity excluding revaluation reserves	-	-	12563.88	-	-	13626.98
6.	Earning Per Share (of Rs.10/-each not annualized) (for continuing and discontinued operations) Basic and Diluted (in Rs.)	0.63	0.15	3.71	1.15	0.39	0.95

Note:
The above is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/half yearly Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing and Other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations,2015. The full format of the Quarterly/half yearly Financial Results is available on the Stock Exchange Websites: **www bseindia.com, www.nseindia.com** and on the company's website **www.maharashtraapex.com**

By Order of the Board,
For MAHA RASHTRA APEX CORPORATION LTD.,
Sd/-
(Aspi Nariman Katgara)
Managing DIRECTOR DIN-06946494

Place : Mumbai
Date : 10.08.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice is given to the General Public that, my client is going to sanction a Loan from my client's bank in favour of **Smt.G.MANJULA** W/o A.V.Shivaramaiah, residing at #135, Arebommanahalli, Nelamangala Taluk, in respect to the schedule property mentioned here under. And as per the information from the borrower Smt.G.Manjula W/o A.V.Shivaramaiah, the Original Hakku Pathra (Mother Deed) dated 19.09.1981, of Sri.Muralidhar S/o Sampathaiah has been lost or misplaced at Near Sub Registrar Office, Nelamangala, hence if any person having any interest, right or any claim over the above said documents in respect to the schedule property may intimate the same in writing with documentary evidence to the undersigned within seven (7) days from the date of this publication, failing which, my client shall proceed with the loan transaction as not claimed.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Site bearing Site No.27, formed in Sy No.47, Khatha No.160/27, Measuring towards East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet i.e., 30' X 40' Feet, Situated at Arebommanahalli Grama, Thyamagondlu Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, and Bounded on:
East By: Road, **West By:** Site No.26, **North By:** Site No.16, **South By:** Road.

SHAMS US TABREZ. A
Advocate & Legal Adviser,
Opp. State Bank of India, M.G. Road, Tumkur – 572101.
Ph. No. 0816-2270735.
Cell No. 98867 93535 / 9448083535.

Department of Social Justice and Empowerment
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
Government of India

Vayoshreshtha Samman

Inviting nomination for National Award, 2022

The last date for receipt of nominations is 29th August, 2022

The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India invites nominations on the National Awards portal **(https://awards.gov.in/)** for conferment of **"Vayoshreshtha Samman (National Award)", 2022** for eminent senior citizens and institutions involved in rendering distinguished services for the cause of elderly persons, especially indigent senior citizens.

- Detailed eligibility criteria, proforma for nomination for the Awards and the procedure for nomination etc., are available on the website of the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment as indicated **http://socialjustice.gov.in.**
- Nominations in the prescribed proforma complete in all respects with the requisite supporting documents of the nominee, photograph and bio-data of the nominee (in the case of individual category), may be uploaded on **https://awards.gov.in/.** No physical applications shall be entertained.
- The last date for receipt of nominations is 29th August, 2022. Self nominations and applications from individuals or institutions not recommended by the prescribed agencies/individuals will not be entertained and shall be liable to be summarily rejected.

CBC 38101/11/0023/2223

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

ARM Branch-1,
No.86, Spencer Tower,
M.G. Road Bengaluru,
PH: 080 25588642

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Avenue Road Branch (Presently the account is in ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" on 07.09.2022 (10.30 AM to 11.00 AM),** for recovery of **Rs.8,41,36,465.82/-** with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank** from **(1) M/s. Manasa Hospitality, Rep by its Proprietor Mr.M.V.Shekar,** No.V 2, Nandagokula Complex, 3rd Cross, KSSIDC, Next to Canara Bank, Electronic City Phase1, Bengaluru-560100. **(2) Mr. M.V.Shekar & Smt. R.Manasa** W/o Mr. M.V.Shekar, both residing at No.AA-02, Concard Silicon Valley, Doddathogur Village, Bengaluru-560100, **(3) M/s. V.S. Logistics, Rep. By Partners Mr. M.v.Shekar & Mrs. R.Manasa,** No.V 2, Nandagokula Complex, 3rd Cross, KSSIDC, Next to Canara Bank, Electronic City Phase1, Bengaluru-560100.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **06.09.2022 at 5.00 pm.** by way of DD favouring Authorized Officer **Canara Bank ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to **Account No.209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366).**

(Rs. In Lakhs)

Lot No	Description of the immovable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental Value
1.	All that piece and parcel of Residential Property bearing Site No.2, Villa No. AA-02 in layout formed out of Survey No. 166 project known as "Silicon Valley" also called as "Concarde Silicon Valley" Layout approved by BDA resolution No. 263/2003 dated 30.12.2003 situated at Doddathoguru Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk which measuring east to west 24 meters and north to south 15 meters totally measuring 360 sq. metrs (approximately 3875 Sft.) Along with residential building with internal staircase of Basement, Ground, First and Second Floors with a total built up area of 4980.19 Sft. Having E Khatha No. 150200301100120725, 7244/2 issued by Doddathogur Grama Panchayath and bounded on East: By Road, West : By Property bearing Site No. 18 & 19, North : by Property bearing Site No.1 and South : by Property bearing Site No.3.	**Rs. 260.00**	**Rs. 26.00**	**Rs. 1.00**

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link **"E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Chief manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank , Ph. No.9483532366 during office hours on any working day.**

Date : 10.08.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

Dhanlaxmi Bank established 1927

HRBR Branch, Sai Sharan Skies , 5AC, 434 Ground floor, 2nd block, HRBR Layout, Bangalore 560043

Regional Office - Hyderabad, Telangana Corporate Office - Thrissur

Rule 8(1) POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Dhanlaxmi Bank Limited under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 09/02/2022 calling upon the borrowers. **Mrs.Sudha B M W/o Shankar K** at No.8, 7th B Cross, Jakkur B Layout ,Yelahanka ,Bangalore-560064 and **Mr. Shankar K S/o Kumar** at No.8, 7th B Cross, Jakkur B Layout, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 55,82,115.72** (Rupees Fifty Five lakh Eighty Two Thousand One Hundred and Fifteen and Paise Seventy Two only) as on 06.02.2022 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under subsection 4 of section 13 of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, on this **11th day of August 2022**.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Dhanlaxmi Bank Limited for an amount **Rs. 54,12,069.72** (Rupees Fifty Four Lakhs Twelve Thousand Sixty Nine and paise Seventy Two Only) as on 10.08.2022 and the interest and charges thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of immovable residential property bearing Site Old H.A.S.B No. 77, property no.223 situated at kodihalli village, Varthur hobli , Bangalore east taluk, now comes under BBMP limits ward no 73, measuring East to West : 40 -0 Feet, North to South: 37-0 Feet, totally measuring 1480 Sq.Ft and bounded on:- East by : Private Property, West by: Shamana's Property, North by : Road, South by : Property no 682 belongs to Srinivas.

Date: 11.08.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
(Dhanlaxmi Bank Ltd)

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Regd. Office: 57, V.E.Road, Thoothukudi - 628 002. Website: www.tmb.in

CHANNAPATNA BRANCH
No.2167/2,3,4, First Floor, Sri Rama Nilaya, B.M.Road, Kuvempu Nagar, Channapatna-562160

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice dated **26.05.2022** calling upon the Borrower, **Mr.Dhananjayaraje Arasu,** S/o.Late Mr.Ramachandraraje Arasu and the **Guarantor, Mrs.D.Shruthi,** W/o.Mr.Dhananjayaraje Arasu both residing at No.35, Honganuru Mangal Masth Gowda Street, Channapatna to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.14,21,143.25 (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Twenty One Thousand One Hundred Forty Three and Paise Twenty Five only) as on 20.05.2022** plus future interest thereon from **21.05.2022** and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower and the Guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower, Guarantor and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **08th day of August, 2022.**

The borrower's / guarantor's attention is hereby invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrower and the Guarantor in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Channapatna Branch** for **Rs.14,10,686.03 (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Ten Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Six and Paise Three only)** as on **31.07.2022** with future interest from **01.08.2022** and costs thereon (Less recovery, if any, after **31.07.2022**).

Description of the Property : Land to an extent of 2700 sq.ft. bearing E-Katha No.152900101000301350, Old Katha No.1050/23 and the residential building constructed thereat to the extent of 2600 sq.ft. at Honganur Village, Honganur Grama Panchayath, Channapatana Taluk, Ramanagara District including all amenities standing in the name of Mr.Dhananjayaraje Arasu. Boundaries: North : Property of Lingachar, South: Road, East : Property of Ramaraje Arasu, West : Property of Anna Dhane Raje Arasu.

Date : 08.08.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited
Bengaluru Region (For Channapatna Branch)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

General public are hereby informed that, my clients Sri.Nitin Goyal and Smt.Rina Agarwal, are intends to purchase of the schedule land from Sri.C.Babu Reddy. Anyone having any claim, share or interest in the schedule land shall lodge their claims with original documents with the under signed within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice. If no claims are lodged within 7 days of time it is presumed that Sri.Nitin Goyal and Smt.Rina Agarwal, are having valid and marketable title to the schedule land and my clients will proceed with the purchase of below mentioned schedule land.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable agricultural land bearing Survey No.25, New Survey No.118, measuring 00-05.02 Guntas or equaling to 5662 square feet out of 0-14 Guntas, situated at Chokkasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, and bounded on follows **East by:** Sarjapur to Chandapura Road, **West by:** Road & Remaining land in Sy.118, **North by:** Land bearing Sy No.123, **South by:** Remaining land in Sy No.118.

H.K. VENU, ADVOCATE
No.25, 1st Floor, H.H.S. HMS Complex, Cubbonpet, Bangalore-560 001.
Phone: 9845209504

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client, **Sri. Veeresh G.** S/o Sri. Rudregowda G. R/at No.105, 2nd Ward, Adoni Road, Karekallu, Bellary-583111, proposed to purchase the schedule property from **Smt. Manjula,** W/o Sri. B. Lokesh, AND **Sri. B. Lokesh,** S/o Late Bhimmaiah, Both are R/at No.21/1A, Maruthinagara, Herohalli, Viswaneedham Post, Bengaluru-560091.

That if any person/s, Bank/s, Authorities has/have any objections for the proposed sale transactions or claims any kind whatsoever on the schedule property may lodged their claims/objections with documentary proof within **(7) Seven days** from the date of publication of this notice with the undersigned, failing which thereafter my client shall proceed to complete the sale transaction and any claims received thereafter will not be entertained.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of in Eastern Portion of Site No.481 and Site No.480, House list No.480 and 481, Khatha No.247, Assessment No.44/1, of Vidyamanyanagara, Andrahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Ward No.40, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 40 feet totally 1600 sq feet and bounded on: **East by:** Site No.479, **West by:** Remaining western portion of Site No.481, **North by:** Site No.476 and 477, **South by:** Road.

Girish, Advocate
No.29/30, 58th Cross, 4th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.
Mobile: 9845540992

The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

No.73/1, Gandhi Bazaar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 004.
Ph: 080-22421998, 26618092, 26618093 E-mail: admin.ao@ncbl.org.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized officer of **The National Co-operative Bank Limited** under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord. 3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **07.05.2022** calling upon the borrower **Smt. Jyothi M.** W/o Sri. Prakash M. residing No.382, 10th cross, RHCS Layout, 3rd Main, Near BDA Complex, Annapurneshwari Nagar, Nagarabhavi 2nd stage, Bengaluru-560091 and the Co-obligants **(1) Sri. Prakash M.** S/o Late Nagaraj N., residing No.382, 10th Cross, RHCS Layout, 3rd Main, Near BDA complex, Annapurneshwari Nagar, Nagarabhavi 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560091 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.23,60,758/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Eight Only) with interest from **01.05.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The amount due as on **30.04.2022** is **Rs.23,60,758/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Eight Only) & and interest thereon from **01.05.2022** & Cost to other charges and expenses thereon.

The borrower and the co-obligants having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, co-obligants and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the Ordinance read with rule 9 of the said rule on this **8th day of August the year 2022.**

The borrower and the co-obligants in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **The National Co-operative Bank Limited** for an amount of **Rs.23,60,758/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Eight Only) and interest thereon from **01.05.2022** & Cost to other charges and expenses there on.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE : SCHEDULE-A: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.128, Katha No.154/128(PID No.152900402001100647) situated in Shaik Himan Nagar in the Railway Men's House Building Co-op. Society Ltd. Sy No.47/6, Manchanayakanahalli Grama Panchayat, Khatha No.154/128, Sy. Nos. 43/4,5,6&7, 45/1 & 11, 46/1A & 2, 47/1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6, 48/1, 50/3,5, 6 & 8, 51, 52/5, 53/1,54/1A, 55/2, 3, 4 & 5 of Hejjala Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk and District measuring East to West-15.24 mtrs, North to South-9.14 mtrs. Totally measuring 139.29 sq.mtrs. East by : Road, West by : Site No.149, North by : Site No.129, South by : Site No.127.

Date: 08.08.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The National Co-Op Bank Ltd.,

THE BHARAT CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Jayanagar Branch,
No.30, 15th Cross, 3rd Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011

POSSESSION NOTICE Rule - 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notice Dated **15/03/2022** calling upon the borrower **1.Mr. Prabhu S Hadagali** S/o Late Shankarappa No.737/41, 6th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.89,16,698/-(Rupees Eighty Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only)** as on **22/02/2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **6th day of August of the year 2022**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd.,Jayanagar Branch, Bangalore,** for an amount of **Rs. 89,16,698/-(Rupees Eighty Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only)** as on **22/02/2022** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the ImmovableProperty

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing CITB Site No.737, BBMP No.737/41, Dr. Rajkumar Road, 6th Block, 80 ft. Main Road, Rajajinagar, Ward No.22, Sriram Mandira, PID No.22-34-41, Bangalore, measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 30 feet, consisting of stilt, Ground, I, II and III Floor and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Site No.738, West: Site No.736, North: 80 ft. Road, South: Road.

Date : 06.08.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd.

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, RI-TEC Division, 1st Floor, Annexe-3 Building,N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560 002.

No: EE/RI/TEC/TEND/04/2022-23 **Date: 11.08.2022**

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT)
(Two Cover System)(Through e-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure-TEC Division, invites proposals (Technical and Financial) for appointing Project Management Consultancy (PMC) for the project detailed in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Consultancy services for Construction, Supervision, Project Management and Quality Control for the works of "Development and Beautification of selected Important Junctions including Construction / Rejuvenation of Water Fountains under design, build, operate and transfer scheme with Operation and Maintenance of the Developed Junctions for a period of 2 years in Bengaluru City".	80,000/-

Calendar of Events: 1) Availability of RFP documents from **11.08.2022 onwards.** (2) Last date for uploading the filled proposals: **19.08.2022 upto 16:00 hrs.** (3) Date of Opening of Technical Proposals: **20.08.2022 at 16:30 hrs.** 4) Date of opening of Financial Proposals after approval of Technical Proposals through e-Procurement.

Further details can be had from the office of the above during office hours on all working days or visit e-Procurement portal website: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, RI-TEC Division, BBMP

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Colombo	30	25	LC	Melbourne	15	4	HR
Dhaka	31	26	TDS	Moscow	23	12	HR
Dubai	41	33	SNY	New York	29	23	LC
Houston	34	26	SNY	Singapore	31	27	TDS
Istanbul	31	24	LC	Toronto	24	17	LC
London	29	16	LC	Washington	32	23	LC

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Criminals being offered amnesty for joining war efforts in Ukraine

MOSCOW

THE prisoners at the penal colony in St Petersburg were expecting a visit by officials, thinking it would be some sort of an inspection. Instead, men in uniform arrived and offered them amnesty if they agreed to fight alongside the Russian army in Ukraine.

Over the following days, about a dozen or so left the prison, according to a woman whose boyfriend is serving a sentence there. Speaking on condition of anonymity because she feared reprisals, she said her boyfriend wasn't among the volunteers, although with years left on his sentence, he "couldn't not think about it".

As Russia continues to suffer losses in its invasion of Ukraine, now nearing its sixth month, the Kremlin has refused to announce a full-blown mobilisation a move that could be very unpopular for President Vladimir Putin. That has led instead to a covert recruitment effort that includes using prisoners to make up the manpower shortage.

This also is happening amid reports that hundreds of Russian soldiers are refusing to fight and trying to quit the military. "We're seeing a huge outflow of people who want to leave the war zone those who have been serving for a long time and those who have signed a contract just recently," said Alexei Tabalov, a lawyer who runs the Conscript's School legal aid group.

A Russian rocket launched toward Ukraine from Russia's Belgorod region is seen at dawn in Kharkiv on Thursday | AFP

"The group has seen an influx of requests from men who want to terminate their contracts, and I personally get the impression that everyone who can is ready to run away," Tabalov said in an interview with The Associated Press.

"And the Defence Ministry is digging deep to find those it can persuade to serve."

Although the Defence Ministry denies that any "mobilisation activities" are taking place, authorities seem to be pulling out all the stops to bolster enlistment. Billboards and public transit ads in various regions proclaim, 'This is The Job,' urging men to join the professional army. Authorities have set up mobile recruiting centers in some cities, including one at the site of a half marathon in Siberia in May.

The recruitment of prisoners has been going on in recent weeks in as many as seven regions, said Vladimir Osechkin, founder of the Gulagu.net prisoner rights group, citing inmates and their relatives that his group had contacted.

It's not the first time that authorities have used such a tactic, with the Soviet Union employing 'prisoner battalions' during World War II. *AFP*

Kim Jong-un was seriously ill, sister reveals

SEOUL

NORTH Korean leaders Kim Jong-un suffered from "high fever for days" during the recent Covid outbreak in the country, his sister revealed on Thursday.

Kim "was suffering from high fever during the days of this quarantine war, but he could not lie down for a moment as he was thinking about the people he was responsible for", his sister said.

This is the first time North Korea has indicated its leader — whose health is the subject of extraordinarily close scrutiny by analysts — had been infected by the coronavirus.

The powerful sister of North Korean leader accused the South of causing a Covid outbreak in the country and warned of "retaliation"

As Kim Yo Jong talked about her brother's health, the camera cut to uniformed officials in the audience wiping away tears or openly weeping.

North Korea has previously said that "alien things" near the border with the South

caused the Covid outbreak in the isolated country, a claim that Seoul has rejected.

Yo Jong warned that Pyongyang was considering "a strong retaliatory response", adding that if the balloons continued, "we will respond by eradicating not only the virus, but also the South Korean authorities". Her comments came as Kim Jong Un declared a "shining victory" over Covid, state media said Thursday.

"Kim Yo Jong's bellicose rhetoric is concerning because not only will she try to blame any Covid resurgence on South Korea, she is also looking to justify North Korea's next military provocation," he added.

Experts, including the WHO, have long questioned Pyongyang's Covid statistics and claims to have brought the outbreak under control. The country has one of the world's worst healthcare systems, with poorly equipped hospitals. *AFP*

ASIA MATTERS

SINGAPORE

Indian-origin supervisor's prison sentence increased

An Indian-origin supervisor, who allowed an untrained worker to operate a forklift, which resulted in the death of another worker, had his prison sentence increased by four months following an appeal from the prosecution, a media report has said. In 2019, Yeduvaka Mali Naidu, a supervisor at Chye Joo Marine, had allowed an untrained worker named Shanmugam Sivarasu to operate a forklift at a shipyard that had faulty brakes, according to the Straits Times newspaper. On one occasion, Sivarasu accidentally stepped on the accelerator, causing the forklift to crash, killing a 30-year-old worker of Bangladeshi origin and injuring another person standing nearby, the report said. Investigation revealed that Naidu had allowed Sivarasu to operate forklifts on multiple occasions despite knowing that he was not trained to do so, it said

INDONESIA

United Indonesia Coalition says ready for polls

United Indonesia Coalition comprising three major parties said on Thursday it is ready to fight the election. Its leaders said the coalition is open to nominating a popular outsider as the presidential candidate. Leader Golkar Party, National Mandate Party and the United Development Party on Thursday marched together to the Election Commission office on Thursday to sign up their parties for the polls to be held in 2024, *Jakarta Post* reported

THAILAND

New law says seat belts must for rear passengers

From September 5, everyone travelling in a vehicle must wear seat belts. The new rule is applicable to those travelling in the rear seats of a car. For the first few weeks, the police would issue warnings to those found violating the new rule. Later on a fine of $60 fine would be imposed on violators. The new rule says, "Front seat passengers and passengers sitting in the back or any other row are required to wear a seat belt at all times while travelling in a vehicle". Only exemption is for those who are unable to wear a seat belt due to health reasons. The new law also requires that children below six must only be seated in child safety seat to prevent injuries in the event of an accident. Thailand is one of the worst countries to drive a car. The country of seven crore people reported 32,000 accidents in 2021, leading to several hundred deaths

Indian-origin Shri Thanedar scores decisive primary win

WASHINGTON

BELAGAVI-ORIGIN Indian-American entrepreneur Shri Thanedar has won last week's Democratic party's primary from the Congressional district of Detroit, a result which political pundits say has all but assured him a victory in the November mid-term elections.

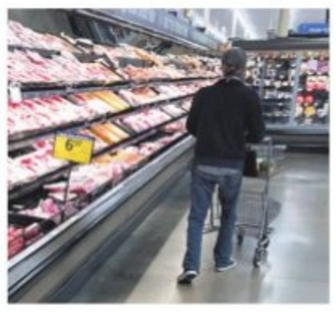
Thanedar, 67, won his party's nomination in Michigan's 13th Congressional District on August 2, quelling 8 other high-profile candidates in the crowded Democratic primary.

He will now face Republican Martell Bivings in the November elections. Given that Detroit is a Democratic bastion, Thanedar's victory in the November mid-term elections is a foregone conclusion, say analysts.

"A new (Indian American) member is going to be elected in Detroit. Five of us now," Indian American Congressman Ro Khanna told PTI. Khanna, who represents Silicon Valley in the House of Representatives, along with three others Congressman Raja Krishnamoorthi, Congressman Ami Bera and Congresswoman Pramila Jayapal constitute the Samosa Caucus in the House.

According to Detroit News, Thanedar has committed to over $5 million of his wealth to the election campaign.

"This race was not about me. Michigan's 13th Congressional district is one of the poorest in the country, and I will fight for economic and racial justice in Congress," Thanedar said. Thanedar flew to the US from Belagavi in 1979 to obtain his PhD in polymer chemistry from the University of Akron after receiving a Masters Degree at University of Bombay. *PTI*



US wholesale inflation falls for first time in two years

WASHINGTON

PRICES at the wholesale level fell from June to July, the first month-to-month drop in more than two years and a sign that some of the US economy's inflationary pressures cooled last month.

Thursday's report from the Labor Department showed that the producer price index — which measures inflation before it reaches consumers — declined 0.5% in July. It was the first monthly drop since April 2020 and was down from a sharp 1% increase from May to June.

The easing of wholesale inflation suggests that consumers could get some relief from relentless inflation in the coming months. The wholesale report follows government data Wednesday that showed that consumer inflation was unchanged from June to July — the first flat figure after 25 straight months of increases.

Yet economists caution that it's still too early to say that inflation is headed steadily lower. "The July deceleration ... is a move in the right direction," said Rubeela Farooqi, chief US economist at High Frequency Economics. "But producer costs continue to rise at a rapid pace, well above target."

Wholesale food prices rose 1% from June to July, a sign that grocery prices will likely keep rising in the coming months. The wholesale costs of eggs, beef and vegetables all jumped. Trucking freight costs, though, fell 0.3%, evidence that some supply chain snarls are easing.

Inflation at the wholesale level still jumped 9.8% in July compared with a year earlier, suggesting that inflation will remain at painful levels for months to come. That was down from a year-over-year surge of 11.3% in June and was the smallest annual rise in eight months. *AFP*

TAX EVASION

GERMAN LEADER FACES PRESSURE OVER ROLE IN SCAM

BERLIN

GERMANY'S main opposition party has called on Chancellor Olaf Scholz to explain his role in a large-scale tax evasion scam while he was mayor of Hamburg.

Scholz has been dogged by questions about meetings the had with private bank M M Warburg in 2016 and 2017. Hamburg officials later dropped demands for the bank to repay millions of euros in tax refunds it had wrongly claimed for share trades.

German Chancellor Olaf Scholz

Dozens of bankers are being investigated in connection with so-called cum-ex share transactions that are said to have cost the German state billions and involved hundreds of participants laoning each other shares to collect reimbursement for taxes they hadn't paid.

Scholz has denied wrongdoing and claimed not to recall details of his meetings with Warburg.

But Thorsten Frei, a leading lawmaker with the centre-right Christian Democrats, said recent revelations about 2,00,000 euros in cash being found in a safe belonging to a close party associate of Scholz raise further questions about the cum-ex affair.

"Olaf Scholz needs to explain himself," Frei said in an interview published on Thursday by German media group RND.

The chancellor is holding his first annual summer news conference in Berlin on Thursday.

Scholz, who was finance minister under Angela Merkel from 2018 to 2021 and became chancellor last December, will also face questions over Germany's support for Ukraine, his government's efforts to tackle inflation and a looming energy crisis and the coronavirus pandemic.

Armed man takes bank employees hostages, demands trapped savings

BEIRUT

A hostage standoff in which a gunman demanded a Beirut bank let him withdraw his trapped savings so that he could pay his father's medical bills ended seven hours later with the man's surrender Thursday. No injuries were reported.

Authorities said 42-year-old Bassam al-Sheikh Hussein entered the bank branch with a shotgun and a canister of gasoline, fired three warning shots and locked himself in with up to 10 hostages, threatening to set himself on fire unless he was allowed to take out his money.

After hours of negotiations, he accepted an offer from the bank to receive part of his savings, according to local media and a depositors group that took part in the talks. He then released his hostages, and police whisked him away as he walked out of the bank.

He did not actually receive any of the money, according to a lawyer who took part in the negotiations. His wife, Mariam Chehadi, who was standing outside, told reporters after his arrest that her husband 'did what he had to do." The hostage drama in the city's bustling Hamra district was the latest painful episode in Lebanon's economic free-fall, now in its third year. The country's cash-strapped banks since 2019 have slapped strict limits on withdrawals of foreign currency assets, tying up the savings of millions of people. George al-Haj, head of the Bank Employees Syndicate, told local media that seven or eight bank employees were taken hostage.

Soldiers stand guard outside the bank in Lebanon's capital Beirut | AFP

Lebanon has been mired in an economic crisis for more than two years, since the market value of the local currency began to plummet and banks started to enforce draconian restrictions on foreign and local currency withdrawals. *AP*

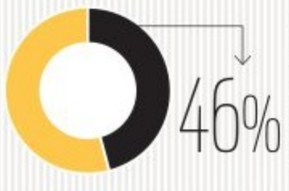
Japanese PM reshuffles Cabinet to wash off church links

Japanese Prime Minister Fumio Kishida reshuffled his Cabinet on Wednesday in an apparent bid to distance his administration from the conservative Unification Church over its ties to the assassinated leader Shinzo Abe and senior ruling party members

WINNING BACK PUBLIC'S TRUST

Fumio Kishida said it was important to gain people's trust and that the new Cabinet included only those who agreed to strictly review their ties to the country's Unification church and help the victims of the allegedly fraudulent religious businesses

Japan's Prime Minister Fumio Kishida (C) and his cabinet ministers on Thursday | AFP



A survey released Monday by the NHK public television showed support for Kishida's Cabinet fell to 46% from 59%. Most of the respondents said they think politicians have not sufficiently explained their ties to the Unification Church

NOTABLE NAMES

Political veteran Yasukazu Hamada was named defence minister — a key role given Kishida's pledge to ramp up the defence budget to counter growing threats from China and North Korea

Flamboyant figure Taro Kono, who has also held several high-profile ministerial posts, was named digital affairs minister, tasked with moving more of Japan's stubbornly analogue systems online

And Sanae Takaichi, known for her hawkish views, is the new economic security minister. The current foreign and finance ministers will stay in place

We have to be careful about our relationship with an organisation that has known social problems so that they won't raise suspicions among the public

Fumio Kishida

New provisions to clip prez power in SL's draft constitutional amendment

COLOMBO

SEVERAL features, including curbing the Sri Lankan President's power to sack the Prime Minister and the Cabinet, have been included in the draft of a constitutional amendment bill that seeks to reduce the concentration of power in one person, justice minister Wijeyedasa Rajapakshe has said.

He said the text of the draft of the 22nd Amendment to the Constitution was changed after the ouster of former president Gotabaya Rajapaksa.

"The former president wanted to retain the power to sack the prime minister and the cabinet as he wished. Since his departure we have changed that so the president can't remove the Prime Minister and the Cabinet," Rajapakshe said on Wednesday.

Gotabaya in Bangkok

Bangkok: Former Sri Lankan president Gotabaya Rajapaksa on Thursday arrived in Bangkok after his visa ran out following a month-long stint in Singapore where he had taken refuge from protesters at home

His comments came as he submitted to Parliament the constitutional amendment bill to clip the powers of the president, a key demand of protesters calling for political reforms and solutions to the country's worst economic crisis.

The minister said the reforming of presidential powers was in line with the demand of the protesters who carried on a relentless campaign for over four months demanding the resignation of Rajapaksa for his bungling of the ongoing economic crisis.

He said for a long time since Sri Lanka adopted the Constitution in 1978, the need to reduce too much power in one person was a major demand.

"The demand was to either abolish the presidential system or prune powers to make parliament empowered," he said.

The 22nd Amendment was formulated amid the ongoing economic turmoil in the country which also caused a political crisis.

It is meant to replace the 20A that had given unfettered powers to President Rajapaksa after abolishing the 19th Amendment.

Describing the salient features of the 22A. Rajapakshe said the best features of the 19A reversed by Rajapaksa through 20A have been restored. *PTI*

Market Watch

MARKET			FOREX	
515.31	Sensex	59,332.60	Dollar	79.52
124.25	Nifty	17,659.00	Euro	82.27

Govt to hike import duty on goods India can make

Hike in customs duty is done after proper assessment, say officials

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

COUNTERING the recent criticism on rising protectionism, finance ministry officials on Thursday said that the government will increase the customs duty or keep it high on those items that can be domestically manufactured to meet the local demands.

They said that it is a conscious policy decision of the government under the Atma Nirbhar policy. "Why would you import something which can be produced in the country," said a finance ministry official.

Many policy analysts and economists have raised the concern over growing protectionism in India and elsewhere. Recently, former Niti Aayog vice-chairman Arvind Panagariya in a newspaper column said that 2018-19 saw a marked shift in India's policy from liberalism to protectionism.

Finance ministry sources said that the decision to hike customs duties on certain items is taken after proper assessment considering various factors, and is not done indiscreetly like in the previous regimes.

The ministry officials also linked the decision to levy higher customs duty on certain goods to the concerns raised over high imports from China. Without naming China, an official said that one of the considerations for increasing customs duty on certain goods is if they are being imported largely from one particular country.

Gauging the mood in finance ministry

1. Increase in import duty on certain goods a conscious policy decision under Atma Nirbhar Bharat
2. Govt will increase import duty on good that are sufficiently manufactured in India to meet local demand
3. Current account deficit likely to come down with global prices of crude oil, fertilizer coming down

Meanwhile on the issue of higher current account deficit, the finance ministry officials said that with crude oil and fertilizer prices going down, and higher import duty on gold, the current account deficit should come down.

When asked if the US Fed tightening its monetary policy would have a severe impact on India, the finance ministry officials said that both the ministry and the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) is keeping a close watch on the Fed's move. They said that so far India has not faced any serious problem on that front.

An official said that unlike the US taper tantrum in 2013, when India was caught off guard, this time India is keeping a close watch of the situation.

On freebies, the finance ministry officials suggested that as long as one provides for the fund in the budget, it is okay. "I am okay with a state government giving free electricity to farmers or the poor, but they should provide it in the budget as part of responsible governance," said one official.

RBI lending norms stress on data safety

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

IN order to protect borrowers' personal data, the Reserve Bank of India's (RBI) new lending norms have stressed on data protection.

It said that regulated entities (REs) should ensure that LSPs (lending service providers) engaged by them do not store personal information of borrowers except for some basic minimal data.

Any collection of data by DLAs (digital lending apps) should be need-based and with prior and explicit consent of the borrower.

This is one of the recommendations of a working group for digital lending that submitted its report to the RBI, and this will be implemented immediately. One of the main concerns of the borrowers is that digital lending apps store all personal information including phone numbers in contact lists.

The central bank mandated that DLAs should not access mobile phone resources, such as files and media, contact list, call logs and telephony functions.

However, DLAs can request for one-time access to camera, microphone, location, or any other facility necessary for onboarding/ KYC requirements only with the explicit consent

of the borrower, said Nageen Kommu, CEO, Digitap.

He added that these guidelines will certainly contribute towards safeguarding customer data, by imparting the required degree of power in the hands of the customers.

The central bank said no biometric data should be stored or collected in the systems associated with the lending apps of REs. Also regulated entities should ensure that all data is stored in servers located within India.

It is also important to note that with the guidelines coming into action, borrowers will now have the power to accept or deny consent for use of any specific data.

This also includes revoking previously granted consent, which will empower customers to take charge of their data rights, said Sugandh Saxena, CEO, Fintech Association for Consumer Empowerment.

Markets nearly 5% away from all-time high, BoFA hints at 10% correction

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

INDIA'S equity market is now nearly 5% away from its all time high as benchmark indices - Sensex and Nifty - closed at a four-month high on Thursday.

Sensex rose 515 points to close at 59,332, while Nifty ended the day 106 points higher at 17,640. While the BSE Sensex had hit its all-time high of 62,245 in October last year, Nifty peaked at 18,604 around the same time. After falling sharply in early May, the two indices have seen a sharp rebound of nearly 17-18%, backed by favorable global as well as domestic factors.

To begin with, less hawkish stance by the US federal

reserve on future rate hikes in its latest meet, falling commodity and crude oil prices, which are easing inflationary pressure, a better-than-expected Q1FY23 earning reported by India Inc and sustained foreign fund inflow since late July is contributing to the present rally.

However, few global brokerages are not very optimistic and expect a major correction in near future. Brokerage BofA Securities on Thursday hinted towards more pain in store for investors in Indian equities with a call for the benchamrk indices to correct 10% by December 2022.

The brokerage said Nifty will be at 15,600 points by December 31, 2022. BofA's estimate comes after Jefferies predicted a correction of 15% (Nifty) if there is a mean reversion of the spread between bond yields and earnings yields. "We remain cautious on markets on the current volatile environment and looming global recession concerns as reflected by consensus downgrading Nifty FY23/24 earnings," BofA analysts said in a note.

CNG, PNG PRICES

Govt to divert natural gas from industries to city distributions

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

IN a bid to cool down the CNG and piped cooking (natural) gas (PNG) prices in the country, petroleum ministry has decided to divert natural gas from industries to the city gas distribution (CGD).

In an official order, the ministry said supply for domestic gas to the CGD entities should be made only up to the quantity available and allocated to GAIL for CNG (transport) and PNG (domestic) segments.

The move comes after a massive jump in CNG and PNG prices in the country in the last one year. As per the price notification, CNG prices in Delhi went up by a massive 74% (from ₹43.40 per kg in July 2021 to ₹75.61 per kg in 2022), while PNG prices rose by 70% (from ₹29.66 per standard cubic meter to ₹50.59 per scm).

Following this order, the ministry will increase the allocation from 17.5 million scm PNG per day to 20.78 million scm for city gas operators like Indraprastha Gas in Delhi and Mahanagar Gas Ltd of Mumbai.

The government expects the increased allocation will be able to 94% of the demand for CNG to automobiles and piped cooking gas to household kitchens in the country.

Rising rates pose 'near-term' challenge

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU
@ New Delhi

AS three consecutive repo rate hikes by the RBI have pushed interest on home loans to pre-covid level, Rajiv Singh, Chairman of India's largest real estate company DLF, has said rising mortgage rates could pose "near-term" challenges to demand momentum in the housing sector, but the company expects no major adverse impact.

> **Rising mortgage rates appear to pose near-term challenges; however, we do not anticipate any significant material adverse effect given the latent demand in our sector**
>
> Rajiv Singh, Chairman, DLF

"Rising mortgage rates do appear to pose near-term challenges to this demand momentum; however, we do not anticipate any significant material adverse effect given the latent demand in our sector as well as the inherent strength of the Indian economy," Singh said in his address to the company's shareholders at the 57th AGM.

The RBI has raised the repo rates by 140 basis points since May to control inflation. As a result, the interest rates on home loans have increased to about 8% from near 6.5% in the past few months. Many industry experts believe that demand for realty may take a hit due to this steep jump of 1.5%. Singh noted the residential segment has seen a structural recovery on strong demand and credible players are gaining market share. He added that the larger and credible players continued to gain market share on account of consolidation in their favour, along with improving consumer confidence.

The DLF Chairman also said the company has introduced new product offerings across multiple geographies and product markets, and consequently delivered healthy growth in new sales bookings for this fiscal.

"Our super luxury offering - The Camellias - has set a new benchmark in high-quality living. While we remain focused and committed to getting the right products in our relevant markets, we are proceeding with caution by keeping a close watch on the evolving landscape," Singh said.

DLF's sales bookings rose to ₹7,273 crore in 2021-22 from ₹3,084 crore in the preceding fiscal.

Taxpayers not eligible for Atal Pension from Oct 1

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE government has decided to not allow income tax payers to enrol in Atal Pension Yojna – the pension scheme launched by the government for informal sector workers.

In a notification issued by the department of financial services, ministry of finance, it has been said that any citizen who has been an income tax payer will not be eligible to join Atal Pension Yojna (APY) from October 1, 2022. If some-

one who enrols into APY on or after that date and subsequently found to be an income tax payer on or before the date of application then their APY account will be closed and the accumulated pension wealth till date would be given to the subscriber.

Currently, APY is applicable to all citizens of India aged between 18-40 years. Atal Pension Yojna was launched in 2015-16 with the objective of providing pension benefits to workers engaged in the informal sector. The scheme guarantees a minimum monthly pension for the subscribers ranging between Rs. 1000 and ₹5,000 a month on a monthly contribution of as low as ₹42 to ₹210. The government guarantees the minimum pension under the scheme. However, If the actual returns during the accumulation phase are higher than the assumed returns for minimum guaranteed pension, such excess will be passed on to the subscriber.

Under APY, the government co-contributes 50% of the subscriber's contribution or Rs 1,000 per annum, whichever is lower.

Adani to invest ₹57K cr in Odisha

BILLIONAIRE Gautam Adani-led-Adani Group is going to invest ₹57,575 crore in Odisha to set up a 4 MMTPA integrated alumina refinery and a 30 MMTPA iron ore (value addition) project. The company said the High-Level Clearance Authority (HLCA) of Odisha government, headed by Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik, approved the Adani's proposal. The refinerywill produce smelter grade (metallurgical grade) alumina, which will help India move towards import substitution. *ENS*

Air India all set to add 24 domestic flights

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

TATA GROUP-run Air India is adding 24 new flights to its domestic network with effect from August 20, 2022. Not only this, the airline is bringing back 16 narrow-body aircraft back to services.

Air India's narrow-body fleet currently comprises 70 aircraft, of which 54 are currently serviceable. The remaining 16 aircraft, which reportedly were out of service due to unavailability of spare parts and inadequate maintenance when the airline was facing a severe cash crunch under the Government of India ownership, will progressively return to service by early 2023.

The expansion in its domestic connectivity, according to Air India, will cater to growing traffic between major metro cities and facilitate convenient travel over the upcoming festive season. The strengthening of domestic connectivity has been enabled as more aircraft return to service.

Campbell Wilson, MD and CEO, Air India, said, "This expansion bolsters connectivity between key metros, and improves connectivity between Air India's domestic and international networks. Over the past six months, Air India has been working closely with our partners to return aircraft to service, and we are delighted that this effort is now bearing fruit." As per data issued by aviation regulator DGCA, passengers carried by domestic airlines grew 66.73% from 343.37 lakh to 572.49 lakh in the January to June 2022 period.

Jet Airways Q1 net loss at ₹390.1 cr

New Delhi: Jet Airways, which is expected to recommence operations soon under a new ownership, on Thursday reported a standalone net loss of ₹390.1 crore for Q1FY23 as against a loss of ₹129 crore in the same quarter last year. The airline's revenue from operations fell 83 percent to ₹12.53 crore for the quarter under review. Jet Airways, which received air operator certificate from DGCA on May 20, is yet to place an order for aircraft with Airbus or Boeing. Currently, the airline has just one operational aircraft -- which is a B737NG – in its fleet. ENS

EXPRESS READ

Coal production up by 11.37 % to 60.42 MT

New Delhi: Coal production in July 2022 is up by 11.37 % to 60.42 million tonnes (MT), as per the latest government data. Coal supply to the power utilities has also witnessed a growth of 17.09% to 58.45 MT during July this year as compared to 49.92 MT in July 2021 due to increase in power demand. Coal-based power generation has seen a growth of 4.76% in July 2022. *ENS*

Spencer's Retail loss widens to ₹ 34 crore

New Delhi: Retailer major Spencer's Retail Ltd on Thursday saw its consolidated net loss widen to ₹33.63 crore for the quarter ended June 30 as compared to ₹23.55 crore net loss in the April-June period a year ago. The company's revenue from operations increased 12.5% to ₹621 crore during the quarter under review against ₹552 crore in the year-ago period. *ENS*

OIL reports tripling of net profit in June quarter

NewDelhi: India's second-largest oil explorer Oil India Limited (OIL) on Thursday reported a three-fold increase in its net profit in the first quarter of FY23 on record oil and gas price realisation.The net profit of the company was ₹1,555.46 crore, or ₹14.34 per share Q1FY23 compared to ₹507.94 crore or ₹4.68 a share in the same period last year. Its earnings rose as the company got $112.72 per barrel price for crude oil it sold in the quarter as opposed to $67.15 a barrel rate realised in the same period last year. Gas price realisation more than doubled to $6.1 per million British thermal unit from $1.79. *ENS*

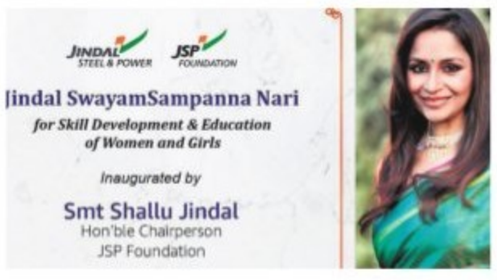
Sambalpur University inaugurates Computer Training Centre

Sambalpur: The new "Computer Training Centre" of Department of Computer Science & Applications, Sambalpur University was inaugurated by Honourable Vice Chancellor, Sambalpur University on last 29 July. The new Computer Laboratory set up has been possible due to the Department of Corporate Social Responsibility, JSW BPSL to impart IT knowledge to student's community. Dhananjay Kumar Sinha, Vice President, Administration, JSW BPSL was the Chief Guest for the function. Ashish Das, Associate Vice President, JSW BPSL, Vishal Raj, Head, Corporate Social Responsibility, JSW BPSL, Dr. Shyamkant Tanuji Gaidhane, General Manager, JSW BPSL were the guests of honour.

Business & Beyond

SPL Foundation Provides Financial Assistance to 508 girls

Bhubaneswar: JSPL Foundation, the CSR wing of Jindal Steel & Power (JSP), supported scholarships to 508 meritorious girls from weaker sections of the society in Odisha and Chhattisgarh to support their vocational training & higher education under its Jindal Swayam Sampanna Nari programme. Ms Shallu Jindal, Chairperson of JSPL Foundation, inaugurated the programme and distributed the scholarship letters to the selected girls in a hybrid ceremony held on August 09, 2022.



SJVN to sign landmark MoU to develop 10,000 MW renewable energy in Rajasthan

Shimla: Sh. Nand Lal Sharma, Chairman & Managing Director, SJVN informed that in a landmark development, Government of Rajasthan has accorded approval for signing of MOU with SJVN for developing 10,000 MW renewable energy projects/ parks in the state of Rajasthan. Sh. Nand Lal Sharma informed that SJVN will establish the 10000 MW renewable energy projects on the land banks to be allocated by Rajasthan Renewable Energy Corporation Limited in the state. An investment of Rs 50,000 crore is estimated for developing these projects in the next 5-7 years.

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice No. SWRCNBNCST_12_2022

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-tenders for the following works:

Name of Work	Appx. Cost
Manufacture and Supply of 10125 mm 60 kg 1 in 12 Thick web switches to RDSO Drg No. T-6155 along with fittings.	Rs. 9,07,92,285/-

Last date for submission of bids: **Up to 15:00 hrs. of 29.08.2022**

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Engineer/Stores Construction/Bengaluru Cantonment

PUB/290/AAV/PRB/SWR/2022-23

S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT NELAMANGALA

C.MISC. No. 166 / 2022

BETWEEN : Rajamma and others ...Petitioner

AND : The Tahasildar, Registrar of Birth and Deaths, Nelamanagala Taluk. **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Where as the petitioners above named has presented to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of registration of births and deaths act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner grand mother by name **Akkamayamma @ Ammayamma was died on 20.06.1966.** Petitioners house at Tonachinakuppe Village, T. Begur Post, Nelamangala Taluk. The Hon'ble Court has fixed **on 20.09.2022** for hearing of the petitioner and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or pleader duly instructed at 11.00 AM failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 02.08.2022.

By Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge (Junior Division) and JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioners : N.P. LAW ASSOCIATES Advocate, M.S. Ramaiah Layout, Nelamangala

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PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY

e-TENDER CALL NOTICE

Name of the work "Construction of Culvert and drain connecting from Sanjaya Gandhi School to STP-2 at Nuabazar". Estimated cost Rs.1,21,03,552.60. Last date & time of submission of Bid 29.08.2022 at 17:15 Hrs. For details please refer our website https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.

E.E., R&B
Paradip Port Authority

PPA/PR/185/22-23 dtd.11.08.2022

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT NELAMANGALA

C.MISC. No. 165 / 2022

BETWEEN : Rajamma and others ...Petitioner

AND : The Tahasildar, Registrar of Birth and Deaths, Nelamanagala Taluk. **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Where as the petitioners above named has presented to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of registration of births and deaths act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner grand father by name **Hucchahanumaiah was died on 25.03.1970.** Petitioners house at Tonachinakuppe Village, T. Begur Post, Nelamangala Taluk. The Hon'ble Court has fixed **on 20.09.2022** for hearing of the petitioner and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or pleader duly instructed at 11.00 AM failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

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Advocate for Petitioners : N.P. LAW ASSOCIATES Advocate, M.S. Ramaiah Layout, Nelamangala

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IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT NELAMANGALA

C.MISC. No. 164 / 2022

BETWEEN : Rajamma and others ...Petitioner

AND : The Tahasildar, Registrar of Birth and Deaths, Nelamanagala Taluk. **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Where as the petitioners above named has presented to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of registration of births and deaths act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner Grand father by name **Anjanappa was died on 05.06.1954.** Petitioners house at Tonachinakuppe Village, T. Begur Post, Nelamangala Taluk. The Hon'ble Court has fixed **on 20.09.2022** for hearing of the petitioner and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or pleader duly instructed at 11.00 AM failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 02.08.2022.

By Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, **Court of the Civil Judge (Junior Division) and JMFC, Nelamangala**

Advocate for Petitioners : N.P. LAW ASSOCIATES Advocate, M.S. Ramaiah Layout, Nelamangala

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IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT NELAMANGALA

C.MISC. No. 167 / 2022

BETWEEN : Rajamma and others ...Petitioner

AND : The Tahasildar, Registrar of Birth and Deaths, Nelamanagala Taluk. **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Where as the petitioners above named has presented to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of registration of births and deaths act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner Grand mother by name **Sanjeevamma was died on 08.10.1975.** Petitioners house at Tonachinakuppe Village, T. Begur Post, Nelamangala Taluk. The Hon'ble Court has fixed **on 20.09.2022** for hearing of the petitioner and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or pleader duly instructed at 11.00 AM failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

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By Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge (Junior Division) and JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioners : **N.P. LAW ASSOCIATES** Advocate, M.S. Ramaiah Layout, Nelamangala

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from **TEJASWINI MAGANTI**, aged about 57 years, D/o M.Narayana das, W/o Raja Babu Maganti residing at No.42, Mountain Ave Chatham, NJ 07928, USA, who claimed to be the absolute owner in possession of Schedule property. If any persons has any claim, right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or any objection to the proposed sale, the same may be communicated to the undersigned along with supporting documents within **15 days** from this day, to the undersigned. If no such claims are received within the above said period my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing No.4, BBMP New Katha No.65, Old Katha No.4/65, PID No.58-99-65, situated at 47th A Cross Road, 8th Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru, measuring East to west 50 Feet, North to South 80 Feet, in all measuring 4000 Sq Feet consists of the Residential house measuring 3500 Sq Feet in Ground Floor and First Floor (20 Years Old House) and bounded on **East by:** House No. 5-66 belongs to Smt. M.N.Gayathri; **West by:** House No.3-64 belongs to Smt. M.N. Divyadarshini; **North by:** 47th A Cross Road; **South by:** Adarsha Garden.

SATHYANARAYANA .G, Advocate
No. 84, 8th Main, 9th Cross, Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru-560 080.
Ph: 9343080908 Date: 11-08-2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general Public that, our client has lost/misplaced the below mentioned Original Documents pertaining to immovable property bearing conversion Site No 27, E-Khatha No.188/27, New E-Khatha No.150200103200101955 measuring to an extent of East to West 45 feet and North to South 35 feet in Total 1575 Sq. feet formed Sy in No. 27/1, of Yarandahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore. Our client has lodged the Police Complaint in concerned Police station under petition No. 876/1332/2022. Any person/s having or claiming any manner of right, title & Interest over the above said site or on below mentioned original documents may intimate the same in writing to the under signed along with documentary evidence in support of their claims within **7 days** from the date of this publication, failing which, it will presumed that below mentioned original documents are lost and our client and his successors in interest or any other person/s calming under him are free to deal with above said survey numbers as if no valid claims are subsisting against above said survey numbers.

It is hereby informed that, the General Public are restrained from transacting with the above said site except our client and his successor-in-interest., If any person holding the below mentioned documents may kindly contact the undersigned at the earliest.

THE LIST OF THE LOST ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO situated at Yarandahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, Bangalore.

Sl.No. 1. **Description of Documents:** Sale Deed registered as document No.ANK-L28846/2004-05, C.D.NO.ANKD56 of Book-I, registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Anekal Taluk, executed by G.S, Jayaraj on 24-03-2005 in respect of site No.27 in favour of one N. Viswanath, executed.

Dated this 12th day of August 2022, at Bangalore,

Jagantha.N
Advocate No.208, 1st First Floor, 7th Cross, Cubbonpet, Bangalore-02. Mobile: 9448704361.

GREATER VISAKHAPATNAM MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

S.No	Tender Notice No.	No of Works	Value of Works	Tender Downloading	Closing Date	Contact No
1	T.N.No.07/2022-23/CE(GVMC)/SE(W1)/EE-I(BML)/DB, Dt:08-08-2022	1 No	Rs.241.70 Lakhs	12-08-2022	26-08-2022	9948525297
2	SH.T.N.No.28/2022-23/SE-W/EE-II(Works)/DB, Dt:06-08-2022	01 Work	Rs.1,04,18,221.00	08-08-2022	16-08-2022	9948525297
3	T.N.No.05/2022-23/GVMC/CE/SE(P-III)/EE(PD-IV)/DB, Dt:06-08-2022	01 (One)	Rs.795.62 Lakhs	06-08-2022	22-08-2022	0891-2746301

Note: Further details at http://www.tender.apeprocurement.gov.in **For Commissioner**

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, (Project East), Nethaji Subhash Chandra Bose Building, 21st Floor, (PUB), Mahatma Gandhi Road, Bengaluru - 560 001

No: EE/P-E/TEND-04/Cor-1/2022-23 Dated: 10.08.2022

CORRIGENDUM-1

Due to technical reason this undersign office is unable to upload the tender documents in E-portal hence with respect to the Tender Notification No: EE/P-E/Tend/04/2022-23 issued on Dated 05.08.2022 the revised tender schedule dates for the work of this notification is as shown below.

Calendar of Events: (1) Tender documents may be downloaded from **19.08.2022** onwards. (2) Last date for uploading the Filled Proposal is **29.08.2022** upto **4:00** pm. (3) Date of opening of Tender is on **30.08.2022** at **4:30** pm.

Sd/- Executive Engineer - (Project East)

STAY PROTECTED FROM COVID-19, NO CARELESSNESS UNTIL THERE IS A CURE.

Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

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SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice No. REMYS_Gr.295_AT_CLS_LT_Modification Dated: 06.08.2022

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-tenders for the following works:

Name of Work	Appx. Cost
AT Power supply arrangement for Colour Light Signalling in the ASM room and in interlocked LC gates and TSS Switch yard lighting, TSS control building internal wiring and Modification Power Line crossing in between Birur (excl.) - Talaguppa (Incl.) section in Mysuru Division of South Western Railway in connection to the RE work of Gr-295).	Rs. 1,48,71,837.45/-

Last date for submission of bids: **Up to 15:00 hrs. of 29.08.2022**

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Electrical Engineer - I Railway Electrification / Mysuru

PUB/289/AAV/PRB/SWR/2022-23

S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply & Transport Undertaking

(OF THE BRIHANMUMBAI MAHANAGARPALIKA)

TENDER NOTICE

E-tender is invited for the supply of following item.

(1) Biennial Rate Contract for Supply, Installation & Commissioning of Uninterrupted Power Supply (UPS) of various ratings with 2 Years on-site Warranty,

RE-INVITED E-TENDERS

(2) 73746, (3) 74050, (4) 74211, (5) 74439 (Corrigendum).

Note : For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in.**

PRO/AAM(M)/77/2022 GENERAL MANAGER

Government of Karnataka

RURAL DEVELOPMENT & PANCHAYATH RAJ DEPARTMENT

Office of the Executive Engineer Project Division,

Door No:1968/71,1st Main Road, SS Layout, "B" Block, Davangere-577004

Phone No: 08192-296576 e-mail ID: kn-dav-1@pmgsy.nic.in

No:EE/PD/DVG/AE-2/KN-12-09/2022-23/260 Date:10-08-2022

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER (2nd Call)

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka, Executive Engineer, Project Division, Davanagere invites Item Rate Tenders through e-procurement portal for package work pertaining to Pradhana Manthri Grama Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) III

SL No	Name of Work	Amount put to tender (Rs. In Lakhs)	EMD Amount	Period of Completion including Monsoon
1	Improvements to Road-T17-Turchagatta to Anagodu via Chandrnahalli, Kurki, Bullapura Balance Work in Davanagere Taluk of Davanagere District Indent No: 5484	185.81 (Including GST)	Get Information through e-procurement Portal	6 Months

Calendar of tendering events are as follows:

1) Date of online submission of Bids : **10-08-2022, up to 16.30** Hours. **2)** Last date for online submission of Bids: **18-08-2022, up to 16.30** Hours. **3)** Opening of technical bid : **19-08-2022, 17.00** hours. **4)** Opening of financial bid : After Completing the Technical Bid Evaluation of the respective package.

Details can be had from the https://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- For Tendering Officer, Project Division, Davanagere

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, SPECIAL DIVISION, HUNSUR

PWD Special Division, Hunsur.

IFT No.3/2022-23 Date:01.08.2022

IFT No.3/2022-23 Date: 1-8-2022- Time Extension

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka the undersigned has invited itemised tender for works related to Hunsur Division as per terms and conditions of "standard tender documents" from the eligible registered contactors under PWD through e-procurement. In the IFT No.3/2022-23 Date: 1-8-2022 Tender Notification for works of Serial No. 1,31,32 Tender documents is downloaded from the e-procurement website **Date: 10-8-2022** And Last date for submission of filled tender documents is **Date: 20-8-2022** upto 16.00 Hours.

And further the time has been extended for works of Serial No. 2 to 30 and 33-42 works Tender documents is downloaded from the e-procurement website **Date:22-08-2022** And Last date for submission of filled tender documents is **Date:01-09-2022** upto 16.00 Hours. Remaining no changes, For more details visit the undersigned during office working hours

Sd/- Executive Engineer, PWD Special Division, Hunsur

DIPR/MYS/KAVITA/321(A)/2022-23

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE FOR THE SUPPLY OF STORES NO. E-02/2022.

Firms are requested to **Login to http://ireps.gov.in -> login -> E.Tender-goods & services (new)** and quote against the following tenders. Manual Quotations will not be entertained for these tenders. Closing in for the tender is 14.30 hrs.

1. **Tender No.: 61215170A. Brief Description of Stores:** Components for Clamp type Ground Connection for 220mm Stroke. **Qty.:** 1156 sets. **Due Date:** 06/09/2022
2. **Tender No.: 61225170. Brief Description of Stores:** I) Cabinet for Relay Rack. II) Operating Panel for TLB. **Qty. :** I) 105 Nos. II) 105 Nos. **Due Date:** 06/09/2022.

Please note that only online quotations submitted through **IREPS** portal will be accepted and the offers are to be digitally signed.

Sr.Divisional Materials Manager, Southern Railway, Palakkad.

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KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.:EEE/AEE(O)/AE(O)/MWD/HSN/2022-23/2031-36 Date: 08.08.2022

NOTIFICATION

Major works Division, KPTCL, Hassan is pleased to establish 110/11kV substation at Satanagere village of kanakatte Hobli in Arasikere, Hassan District. For establishment of above substation minimum 2Acres of land is required with good road approach. The land owners desired to sale their land to KPTCL for the rates fixed by Government of Karnataka.

The willing land owners to sale their land to KPTCL are here by requested to contact the above office or concerned KPTCL officials stated below.

1. Smt K.T.Savita EE(Ele), **Ph No.: 9448365387**
2. Sri. Manuel Karunakar AEE(Ele), **Ph No. : 9448365389**
3. Sri. Kiran Kumar T.S AEE(Civil), **Ph No. : 9448072545**

Sd/- Executive Engineer (Ele). Major works Division, Prasarana Bhavan, KPTCL, Santhepete, BM Road, Hassan-573201.

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ARM Branch - II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, no. 86, MG Road, Bangalore - 560001
Ph No. 25310099, 080-25310181, E-mail - cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged /charged to the ARM Branch II, Bangalore of Canara Bank, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ARM Branch II, Bangalore will be sold on07.09.2022"As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Sl. No	Name of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice and date of Sale Notice	Details and full description of the property	Reserve Price and Earnest Money deposit [EMD]	Property Inspection	E-Auction Date and Time of Auction
1	**1. M/s R. R. Enterprises,** No 8, Byrava Nagar, Dubasipalya 19th Cross, R V College Post, Bangalore, Karnataka-560059. **2. Mr. Ravi (Propritor)** S/O.Sri Rame Gowda No 8, Byrava Nagar, Dubasipalya 19th Cross, R V College Post, Bangalore, Karnataka-560059. **3. Sri B. Manjunath,** S/O. Sri. Byrappa, Major, No.25, I.B. Layout, Byravanagar, Dubasipalyam R.V.College Post, Bangalore-560059 **4. Smt. Rathnamma,** W/O.Mr.Ravi, Major, No 8, Byrava Nagar, Dubasipalya 19th Cross, R V College Post, Bangalore, Karnataka-560059.	Rs.1,49,15,790/- (Rupees One Crore Fourty Nine Lakhs Fifteen Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety only) as on 08.08.2022 together with future interest, expenses and costs	All that piece and parcel of Eastern portion of land and building bearing No: 6/A, Katha No:46/2, 4th Main (Near Govt Press Forest Layout) Byraveswara Nagar Valagerehalli, KENGERI - HOBLI, Bangalore. measuring East to West 60 feet and north to south 25 feet, bounded East by Property No.1/A, West by Road, North by BDA Property and Southby Property of Honnaih.	Reserve Price: Rs.40.70 Lakhs EMD : Rs.4,07,000/-	02.09.2022 with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer.	Bangalore 07.09.2022– 11.30 AM to12.30PM
2	**1. Sri.Suresh Verilal Joshi,** Proprietor M/s.Mahalaxmi Fancy, No.1, Mamulpet Main Road, Bangalore 560053. **2. Smt.Mamtha Suresh Joshi,** Flat no.3/2, I floor, Akkimane, 4th cross, Akkamahadevi Road, Akkipet, Bangalore 560053	Rs.4,30,53,143.26/- (Rupees Four crore thirty lakhs fifty three thousand one hundred forty three and Paisa twenty six only) of M/s Mahalaxmy Fancy including costs and interest as on 10/08/2022 together with future interest, expenses and costs	All that piece and parcel of the western side residential flat in the 1st floor of property bearing municipal no.3/2, PID No.29-69-3/2,situated at Akkamahadevi Road,4th Cross, old ward no.29,New ward no 120 Cottonpet Bangalore 560053 having a super built up area of 900 square feet with common right in the common area, common passages, staircases lift, bore well, generator, water connection etc. along with 180 sq ft of undivided share standing jointly in the name of Smt. Mamtha Suresh Joshi and Sri.Suresh Verilal Joshi and bounded on the East by Eastern side Flat no 3/1 ,West by Narasimha mestry lane North by Private property and South by Private property	Reserve Price: Rs.51.48 Lakhs EMD: Rs. 5,14,800/-	02.09.2022 with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer.	Bangalore 07/09/2022 - 11.30 A M to 12.30 Noon
3	**1. M/s.KML Chemicals Pvt Ltd,** No.130, 3rd floor, Mariyamma Temple Road, Voddarapalya, Haragadde Post, Jigani, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru -562106. **2. Sri.S Kannan,** No.100, Mariyamma Temple Road, Voddarapalya, Haragadde Post, Jigani, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru -562106. **3. Smt.Rojavadi,** No.100, Mariyamma Temple Road, Voddarapalya, Haragadde Post, Jigani, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru -562106.	Rs.3,57,19,899.55/- (Rupees Three crores fifty seven lakhs nineteen thousand eight hundred ninety nine and Paisa fifty five only) including costs and interest as on 30/07/2022 together with future interest, expenses and costs etc till realization	**Item no.1 :** All that piece and parcel of converted property bearing junger property no.645/160/ P39/325 measuring 0A-10G (Ten Guntas) situated at Haragadde Village, Vaddarapalya, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 562106 and bounded on the East by Property of Venkatesh, West by Land of Kondappa, North by Panchayat Road and South by Border of Dyavasandra Village **Item no.2 :** All that piece and parcel of property being junjer property no.645/160/P10/327 measuring 0A-04G (four Guntas) situated at Haragadde Village, Vaddarapalya, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 562106 and bounded on the East by Property of Munusamy, West by property of Chikkaramaiah, North by Panchayat Road and South by Remaining land in same Sy.no **Item no.3:** All that piece and parcel of property bearing junger property no.805/160/ P34 /326 measuring 0A-09G (nine Guntas) converted for non-agricultural purpose vide order no.ALN (AG).SR-12/2010-11 dated 30.07.2010 situated at Haragadde Village, Vaddarapalya, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 562106 and bounded on the East by Property of Venkatasamy, West by Property of Kannappa, North by Road and South by Border of Lake	Reserve Price: Rs.229.00 Lakhs EMD: Rs. Rs.22,90,000/- Reserve Price: Rs.133.00 Lakhs EMD: Rs. Rs.13,30,000/- Reserve Price: Rs.132.00 Lakhs EMD: Rs. Rs.13,20,000/-	31/08/2022 with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer.	Bangalore 07/09/2022 - 11.30 A M to 12.30 Noon

Other terms and conditions

a) Auction/bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the websitehttps://www.indianbankseauction.com. Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
b) The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.
c) EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited by way of DD favouring Authorised officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore OR through online (RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer) to credit the account number 209272434, Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore RTGS/NEFT CODE CNRB0006298 on or before 05.09.2022 - 5.00 PM.
d) Intending bidders shall hold a valid digital signature certificate and e-mail address. For details with regard to digital signature please contact the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:-Mr.Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.
e) After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before 05.09.2022 -5.00 PM, to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand or by email.
i) Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT, acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No.
ii) Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount.
iii) Bidders Name. Contact No. Address, E Mail Id.
iv) Bidder's A/c details for online refund of EMD.
f) The intending bidders should register their names at service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons& Numbers:- Mr.Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.
g) EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
h) Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of Rs.50,000/-The bidder who submits the highest bid (above the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor.
i) The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorised Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again.
j) For sale proceeds of Rs.50 (Rupees Fifty) lacs and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at the applicable rate on the Sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the Bank.
k) All charges for conveyance, stamp duty/GST registration charges, tax arrears, fees etc., as applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only.
l) Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the e-auction without assigning any reason thereof.
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n) For further details contact RANJAN KUMAR, Chief Manager, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (9483544116-080-25310181)e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail:eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons& Numbers:- Mr.Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.

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Place: Bangalore
Date: 08.08.2022 / 10.08.2022

Sd/-, Authorised Officer Canara Bank

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No: SEE/Tr(M)/BRAZ/EE/AEE-4/F-T6/2022-23/2559 Date: 11.08.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION (THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT MODE ONLY)

KPTCL invites against **Bid Enquiry No.:** KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/BRAZ/EE(O)/AEE-4/T6/22-23/EPR-720 Dated: 02.08.2022 for "Design, Manufacture, Testing and Supply of 11 kV UG Cable of Size 1Cx1000 Sqmm to SEE, TR(M), BRAZ Circle, Bengaluru conforming to Technical Specifications. F.O.R.D at Store/Site basis including insurance, transportation and unloading 1040Mtr. The bids will be received through e-Procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink "e-procurement–KPTCL" or **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in on or after 12.08.2022.** Any other details can be had from the Office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Elec.)
Transmission (Maintenance), BRAZ, KPTCL, UAS Campus, Hebbal Bengaluru - 560 024. Ph: 080-23415347

Government of Karnataka

Public Works Department, Special Division, Hunsur

IFT No.4/2022-23 Date:10-8-2022

Short Term tender Notification (Through e-procurement)

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka the undersigned has invited itemised tender for 2-works related to Hunsur Division as per terms and conditions of "standard tender documents" from the eligible registered contactors under PWD through e-procurement. Maximum amount put to tender Rs. **125.15 Lakhs** and Minimum amount put to tender Rs. 72.23 Lakhs, Maximum EMD amount of Rs. **2,00,000/-** and Minimum EMD Amount of **Rs. 1,44,460/-** Tender documents is downloaded from the e-procurement website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in Date: **10-8-2022.** And Last date for submission of filled tender documents is d: **20-8-2022 upto 16.00 Hours.** Period for completion of works (including monsoon): 9-Months maximum and 4-Months minimum. For more details visit the undersigned during office working hours

Sd/-Executive Engineer, PWD Special Division, Hunsur.

DIPR/DD-MYS/MC&A/365/2022-23

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರ

ಜಂಟಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ಸಮಾಜ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ

ಸಂ/ಜಂನಿಸಕಇ/ಆಡಳಿತ/ಮೊದೆಟೆಂ/ಸಿಆರ್–6/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ:10/08/2022

(ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

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1.ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಜಂನಿಸಕಇ/ಮೊ.ದೇ.ಟೆಂ/ವಿವ–6/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10/08/2022 3. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಫಾರಂ ಅಪ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಲು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10/08/2022 4. ಉತ್ಪನ್ನಗಳ ಮಾದರಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06/ 09/2022 ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ರೊಳಗಾಗಿ 5. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಫಾರಂ ಅಪ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10/09/2022 ಸಂಜೆ 5.30 ಗಂಟೆ 6. ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಲಕೋಟೆ ತೆರೆಯುವ ಸ್ಥಳ, ವೇಳೆ ಮತ್ತು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 13/09/2022 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಸಮಾಜ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ 7. ಹಣಕಾಸಿನ ಲಕೋಟೆಯನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ಸ್ಥಳ, ವೇಳೆ ಮತ್ತು ದಿನಾಂಕ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಸಮಾಜ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:20/09/2022 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ 9. ವ್ಯವಹರಿಸಬೇಕಾದ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ಹಾಗೂ ವಿಳಾಸ, ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಸಮಾಜ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:0831–2407245 ಇ–ಮೇಲ್ ವಿಳಾಸ: dsw.bgm@gmail.com

Interested eligible Registered in e-procurement portal bidders can down load the bid documents with visiting the web site http://e-proc.karnataka.gov.in

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BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer (Ele), South Zone, Jayanagar 2nd Block, BBMP, Bengaluru.

No. BBMP/EE/ELE/S/TEND/07/2022-23 Dated : 10-08-2022

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (IFT)

(Through E-Procurement Portal only)

Executive Engineer (Elect), South Zone, invites Tenders in accordance with KTPP rules 2000, from eligible contractors registered in Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike / KPWD on behalf of the Commissioner, BBMP, as detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approx. Value of work (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD Amount (in Rs.)
1	Arranging Temporary Illumination to Ganesha immersion function in 167.	5.00	12,500/-
2	Arranging Temporary Illumination to Ganesha immersion function in 162.	2.00	5,000/-
3	Arranging Temporary Illumination to Ganesha immersion function in 151.	1.00	2,500/-
4	Arranging Temporary Illumination to Ganesha immersion function in 145.	1.00	2,500/-

(1) Tender documents may be downloaded from the e-procurement portal from **11-08-2022**. **(2)** Tenders must be submitted online through e-procurement portal on or before **16:00 hours** on **19-08-2022** and Financial Bid shall be opened on **20-08-2022 at 17.00 hrs.**

For details of registration and e-payment of EMD, visit GOK e-procuremnt website **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or contact e-procurement helpdesk at 080-25501216, 25501227.

Sd/- Executive Engineer (Ele.) South Zone, BBMP

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Fit-again Rahul to lead India in Zimbabwe

KL Rahul will be leading the Indian team in the three-match ODI series in Zimbabwe after being declared fit by the BCCI medical team. Shikhar Dhawan, who was named the captain initially, will now be Rahul's deputy. Rahul was recovering from a sports hernia surgery and was supposed to play the West Indies series before testing positive for Covid-19.

CRICKET'S OLYMPICS PITCH

Success at CWG will allow ICC to push for the game's inclusion at LA Games

GOMESH S @ Chennai

WHEN the United States of America hosted its first-ever summer Olympics in 1904 at St. Louis, Missouri, cricket — which was initially included in the schedule having made its debut four years ago in the Paris Games — was left off the list of events. 122 years on, as the USA gears up to host its ninth summer Olympics in Los Angeles come 2028, the discussion around getting cricket included in the event has once again kicked up, and is growing only stronger. Especially, after the success of the women's cricket's inclusion in the recently concluded Commonwealth Games in Birmingham.

While the International Cricket Council has been vocal about making it happen at least for the last couple of years, the recent events only add to it. "We are assisting the LA 2028 organisers and providing any information will help their assessment of different sports with regards to addition to the Olympic programme. But, at this stage, a decision is due next year," ICC CEO Geoff Allardice said after the annual ICC AGM in Birmingham recently.

The biggest takeaway from the CWG is the attendance in the final between India and Australia where 17,000 fans filled up the Edgbaston stadium, recording the highest attendance for a neutral women's international match in England. Although the numbers are record breaking, it is not a big surprise. For starters, it happened in a major cricket playing nation. Second, the final featured India, a cricket fanatic country with a huge diaspora across the globe. And, the Birmingham Games saw a few other CWG nations participate in the qualifiers with only eight countries making it to the final event.

The summer Olympics with the USA as host would be a different territory. Cricket is not the most popular sport in the country. The USA Cricket are trying to build a profile for themselves in the sport. Their men's and women's teams are regularly taking part in the T20 World Cup qualifiers, but haven't made it to the main event so far.

Meanwhile, there is a world-class cricket stadium and high-performance centre coming up at Grand Prairie, Texas, which is scheduled to be opened next year. As far as Los Angeles is concerned, the Dodger Stadium, home of baseball team Los Angeles Dodgers, last hosted the Cricket All-Stars series in 2015.

Despite the challenges, for cricket to truly become a global sport, its inclusion in Olympics is crucial. ICC's biggest move towards that came in 2018 when it recognised all T20 matches of all countries as internationals and hosted a standalone Women's T20 World Cup. With the way the players have embraced and reacted towards the success of the event in CWG, ICC's keen interest to ensure it's inclusion in olympics is no surprise.

At this point, it is not clear whether the 2026 CWG will have just the women's event or also the men's. Or whether the 2028 Olympics will include cricket. Irrespective of everything, the success of cricket at CWG is a big positive step towards making cricket a global sport.

Unhappy over CWG show, WFI may change selection policy

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

INDIAN wrestlers might have won 12 medals from as many weight categories at the 2022 Commonwealth Games in Birmingham but the show failed to impress the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) chief Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh.

Expecting gold in double figures, the WFI president feels the selection policy needs a change and the same might be proposed during the annual general meeting (AGM) scheduled in Rohtak, Haryana on August 25. The AGM is scheduled keeping in mind the Federation Cup (U-15 and 20) slated from August 24 to 26 in Rohtak. Indian wrestlers had won six gold, one silver and five bronze at the CWG.

Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh | EXPRESS

"Wrestlers from only a couple of countries pose real threat to their Indian counterparts at the event. And why should not we expect gold from everyone? We are doing everything which is possible. The Indian wrestlers are getting an opportunity to compete in almost every international tournament. Only the USA gives such opportunity to its wrestlers but there also the grapplers are not rewarded with cash prizes on winning medals," he said.

The WFI is also expected to hold selection trials for the 2022 World Championships to be held in Belgrade, Serbia from September 10 to 18. The criteria for holding trials, however, have not been decided yet but it is learnt that CWG medals will not be enough for wrestlers to earn a direct place in the team. Sources also claimed that a few CWG medallist are averse to the idea of the selection trials and they rather believe they should be given preference for the Worlds. "We will also see the performance of wrestlers in other events like Asian Championships, Ranking Series and other international tournaments. We will have a discussion on the issue during the AGM and if deemed necessary, we will move a proposal to change the selection policy. It's the need of the hour as we have good bench strength. Our junior wrestlers in both men's and women's categories have performed exceptionally well in the recently held world championships. Nobody can take his/her place in the team taken for granted," added Singh.

Vinesh Phogat (53kg), Ravi Dahiya (57kg), Sakshi Malik (62kg), Bajrang Punia (65kg), Naveen (74kg) and Deepak Punia (86kg) won gold while Anshu Malik (57kg) settled for silver in Birmingham. Pooja Gehlot (50kg), Divya Kakran (68kg), Pooja Sihag (76kg), Deepak Nehra (97kg) and Mohit Grewal (125kg) returned with a bronze.

HERO'S WELCOME

TT ace A Sharath Kamal being greeted at the Chennai airport upon his arrival from Birmingham, on Thursday. Sharath was one of the top performers during the CWG Games, returning with three gold and one silver | ASHWIN PRASATH

EXPRESS READ

SC displeasure over Patel's 'interference'

NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Thursday warned the state football associations of "exercising its authority" if ousted AIFF chief and NCP leader Praful Patel attends their meetings and interferes with the administration of justice. The top court said it will intervene if any attempt is made to sabotage the hosting of the 2022 FIFA-U-17 Women's World Cup in India.

Sreeshankar sixth in Diamond League debut

MONACO: Commonwealth Games silver medallist long jumper M Sreeshankar finished sixth in his debut Diamond League meeting here with a below-par 7.94m effort. Six days after winning a silver at the CWG, Sreeshankar competed in his much-anticipated maiden Diamond League but was far from his best in a strong field under conditions not very ideal for jumping on Wednesday night.

Moeen, Faf to play for CSK in CSA league

VENKATA KRISHNA B @ Chennai

THE Chennai Super Kings Cricket Limited have successfully managed to rope in Moeen Ali, who had earlier signed up for International League T20 (ILT20), for South Africa's T20 league. The English all-rounder will turn out for Johannesburg based team which will also see CSK reunite with Faf du Plessis, who is set to lead the team in the inaugural edition in January.

Apart from these two players, the Super Kings have also landed an all-rounder from Caribbean and a spinner from Sri Lanka. Ali's inclusion is seen as a major coup as Cricket South Africa and ILT20 have been competing to sign up the players as both the leagues are set to clash with each other. Teams in CSA's league are allowed to sign five players — one South African, three overseas players (only two from a country) and developmental player before the auction.

Although ILT20 has already announced a list of players who have been signed, the six franchises are yet to announce their new signings as a few more names are likely to be added soon. According to an official familiar with the developments, a number of players' agent are believed to be weighing up options between the two and few players who have already committed to ILT20 could potentially move to CSA's league. Although ILT20 is offering lucrative contracts some of the big names like Jos Buttler, Liam Livingstone, Jason Holder, Rashid Khan have already committed to play in CSA's league.

Even Mumbai Indians, which own MI Cape Town, announced their new signings on Thursday and they are Kagiso Rabada, Rashid, Sam Curran, Livingstone and Dewald Brewis. Du Plessis and Brewis are not the only South Africans who will continue their association with their same IPL franchise. Quinton de Kock, who plays for Lucknow Super Giants will turn out for the Durban based team which is also owned by the RP Sanjeev Goenka group.

Zverev facing battle to be fit for US Open

AFP @ Munich

GERMANY'S World No 1 Alexander Zverev says he is facing a battle to be fit for the US Open following surgery on torn ankle ligaments at the French Open.

Zverev only returned to the practice court last Sunday after the injury he suffered during his semifinal against Rafael Nadal at Roland Garros in June. Speaking in Hamburg at a press conference on Thursday, Zverev said: "Obviously I am going to try to make it to the US Open even if it's in a very very short time."

Kyrgios beats Medvedev

MONTREAL: Nick Kyrgios rallied to topple World No 1 Daniil Medvedev 6-7 (2), 6-4, 6-2 at the ATP Montreal Masters on Wednesday.

Serena suffers defeat

TORONTO: Serena Williams, who said this week she will soon call time on her storied tennis career, departed the WTA Toronto Masters for the last time with a 6-2, 6-4 loss to Belinda Bencic.

Government of Karnataka
Office of the Executive Engineer,
Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Division
Mysuru-570022

Short Term Tender Notification No: 16/2022-23
Dated :08.08.2022 short term tender notification is as below

On behalf of the Governor of Karnataka Items rate tenders (Single &Two cover system) has been called for the following Tender works Under Rate Tender, as per Tender Documents and as per Karnataka transparency Act G.O.No.FD9 PCL 2004 Dt. 06.08.2005 and as per recent amendments, Date of uploading Tender forms under e-procurement **Dt:16.08.2022 11:00 AM onwards,** Last Date for submitting the filled Tender forms is **23.08.2022 upto 4.00 PM,** Opening of Technical bid **24.08.2022 at 11.00 AM** onwards, Opening of Financial bid after approval of Technical bid. Government registered Class 2, 3 & 4 above Civil as per **KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 & KW-4** tender documents are eligible to participate in the tender process for 11 works & 1 reserved works in H.D.Kote taluk, 08 works in Saraguru taluk, 04 in Mysore taluk **(Amount put to tender starts from Rs.29.08 lakhs to Rs. 199.87 lakhs)** & 09 single works & 03 package works in Nanjangud taluk, 07 single works & 11 package works in T Narasipura taluk **(20.00 lakhs to Rs. 400.00 lakhs)** & pre bid meeting is on **19.08.2022 at 11.00 am.** for e-procurement support contact e-procurement Portal No.1/1 Sun Beam Building Eagle Street Long ford road, Long ford town Bangalore -560025 Tel. Phone No 080 – 22485867, 080-22485927. For more details log on to www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in or contact the Officer under signed at office hours. Phone No.0821-2460 495.

Sd/-Executive Engineer, RDW&S,Division, Mysore
DIPR/DD-MYS/MC&A/355/2022-23

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NOTICE FOR CATERING SERVICES AT CIBM, MANIPAL

Offers are invited from eligible vendors to carry out catering services at Canara Institute of Bank Management located at Manipal. The application can be accessed through bank's website **www.canarabank.com** & **http://eprocure.gov.in.** For further queries, Please contact our office at office timings only. Last date of submission of offers is on or before 3.00 P.M on 26.08.2022. The Bank reserves the right to reject all or any application without assigning any reason whatsoever. Further, communications, corrigendum, amendments, if any, will be hosted in Bank's website only. The bids will be opened offline at the above said address on 26.08.2022 at 3.30 PM.

Sd/-
Assistant General Manager
CIBM, Manipal

Place: MANIPAL
Date : 12.08.2022

Government of Karnataka
(Department of Women and Child Development)
Office of the Child Development Project Officer Haveri
Phone: 08375-232164 Email : cdpohvr232164@gmail.com

TENDER SCHEDULE-DURING THE YEAR 2022-23

(1) Tender Reference No. : No. DWCD/2022/23/IND1708 dated **15.07.2022** (2) Date of Commencement of Download of Tender Document from eProcurement website **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** From **15.07.2022** (3) Date, Time & Venue of Pre-bid Meeting : - (4) Last Date and Time for uploading Online Queries in eProcurement Portal : - (5) Last Date and Time for uploading of eTender in eProcurement portal : **13.08.2022** up to 5:00 PM (6) Date and Time of Online Opening of Technical Bids : **16.08.2022** 11:00 AM (7) Date and Time of opening of Financial Bids : **22.08.2022** 11:00 AM (8) Place of opening of Tenders : e-Procurement Portal (9) EMD AMOUNT : **238400/-** (10) Total Tender Amount : **15892200** (11) Address for Communication : Office of the Child Development Project Officer Department of Women and Child Development J.H. PATEL CIRCLE, MUNCIPAL HIGH SCHOOL ROAD, Taluk HAVERI, District HAVERI, Karnataka - **581110** Phone : **+919481966242**, STD code-**08375**, landline number-**232164** Email : **cdpohvr232164@gmail.com**

Sd/- Child Development Project Officer, Haveri

DIPR/HVR/MCA/212/2022-23

COCHIN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT LTD.

TENDER NOTICE

CIAL CIAL/CIVIL/589 12.08.2022

Item rate E-tenders are invited from reputed civil contractors for the work detailed below at Cochin International Airport, Nedumbassery.

Name of Work	Estimated Amount (Rs.)	EMD (Rs)	Period of Contract
Construction and widening of city side storm water drain - Phase 3	835 Lakhs	800,000/-	06 Months

Interested agencies may register themselves through **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in** and download the tender documents. For more details visit our website **www.cial.aero**.

Sd/- Managing Director

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru - 560 020

No. BDA/EE/West Divn./TEN/Services/03/2022-23 Date: 08.08.2022

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT) (TWO COVER SYSTEM)

(Through GoK e-Procurement platform https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in)

Tenders are invited through GoK e-Procurement platform for the following work in Two Cover tender procedure by the Executive Engineer, West Division, BDA, MRCR Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru on behalf of the Commissioner, BDA, Bengaluru from eligible tenderers.

Name of Assignment: **Consulting Services for Construction Supervision and Project Management and quality control for the work of IMPROVEMENTS TO ROAD FROM (MAGADI ROAD) KACHOHALLI CROSS TO GANGONDANAHALLI JUNCTION, CH: 0.00KM TO 4.63 KM, FROM (MAGADI ROAD) KADABAGERE CROSS TO GANGONDANAHALLI JUNCTION, CH: 0.00KM TO 6.71KM. FROM GANGONDANAHALLI JUNCTION TO MADANAYAKANAHALLI (NH-4) CH: 0.00KM TO 3.81 KM WITH SOIL STABILZATION METHOD. Indent No.: BDA/EE/West/Divn./TEN/Services/03/2022-23.** Project Cost of Work: **Rs.3600.00 lakhs**. For further details, please log on to **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or call e-Procurement Helpdesk on 080-22371090/22340060.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, West Division, BDA, Bengaluru
BDA/PRO/TN/12/2022-23

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಹಿಂದೂ ಧಾರ್ಮಿಕ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಧರ್ಮಾದಾಯ ದತ್ತಿಗಳ ಇಲಾಖೆ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಶ್ರೀ ವೇಣುಗೋಪಾಲ ಕೃಷ್ಣ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ದೇವಾಲಯ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮೂಹ ದೇವಾಲಯಗಳು, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.
ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 080–23313339 Email:samuhadevalya12@gmail.com

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಅ/ಸಆರ್–17/22–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 12.08.2022

ಸಂಕ್ಷಿಪ್ತ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ (ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ)

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಶ್ರೀ ವೇಣುಗೋಪಾಲ ಕೃಷ್ಣ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮೂಹ ದೇವಾಲಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಅವಶ್ಯಕವಾದ ಹುದ್ದೆಗಳನ್ನು ನಿಯೋಜಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಸಲುವಾಗಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ದಾರರು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ **(https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in)** ಅಥವಾ ದೇವಾಲಯದ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ: **080–23313339** ಅನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಕೋರಿದೆ.

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ.	ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ ಹೆಸರು	ಕಡತ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ		ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ
			ರಿಂದ	ವರೆಗೆ	
1.	ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಶ್ರೀ ವೇಣುಗೋಪಾಲ ಕೃಷ್ಣ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮೂಹ ದೇವಾಲಯಗಳಿಗೆ ಅವಶ್ಯಕವಾದ ಹುದ್ದೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊರಗುತ್ತಿಗೆಯ ಆಧಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಅ/ಸಆರ್–17/22–23	12.08.2022	26.08.2022	29.08.2022

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ
ಶ್ರೀ ವೇಣುಗೋಪಾಲ ಕೃಷ್ಣ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮೂಹ ದೇವಾಲಯಗಳು, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.

ವಾಸಸಂ/ವಾ.ಪ್ರ/ತಿರಡಿ ಸಾಯ/1756/2022–23

ಕೋವಿಡ್–19 ಲಕ್ಷಣಗಳು ಇವೆಯೇ? ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಿ. ಆಪ್ತಮಿತ್ರ ಸಹಾಯವಾಣಿ 14410.
ಮಾಸ್ಕ್ ಧರಿಸಿ | 6 ಅಡಿ ದೈಹಿಕ ಅಂತರ ಪಾಲಿಸಿ | ಕೈಗಳ ಸ್ವಚ್ಛತೆ ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಿ

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL,
IBC O&M Division, Rampur(PA). Tq:Sindagi, Dist:Vijayapur.
Ph.No:08488-224328, Email: kbjnleerampur@gmail.com
No: KBJNL/IBC/O&M/Div /PB-2/2022-23/1096 Dated: 08.08.2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-Procurement only)

On behalf of Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer, KBJNL IBC, O&M Division, Rampur, invites bids for the Percentage tender from Eligible contractors for the work of **PROVIDING EMERGENCY WORK AT IBC CH 67.260 KM TO CH 67.700 (IN SELECTED REACHES)DAMAGED PORTION OF LINNING EMBACKMENT AND SR & IP OF INDI BRANCH CANAL Call-2 (Indent No: 22695)** amounting to **Rs.83.22 Lakhs.** The tenderers are required to submit their tenders in Two cover system containing both bid documents and Supporting eligible documents. Which can be obtained through website: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** and can be submitted through electronic tender box.

The bidders can access the e-tendering document from **08.08.2022 to 19.08.2022**. Submission of completed e-tendering documents from **08.08.2022 to 19.08.2022** upto 5.00 pm. The Technical bid on **22.08.2022 respectively.** For any other clarifications, contact the under signed office during office hours.

Further information about electronic tendering can be had from http;//eproc.karnatak.gov.in/eportal/lines. Seam and can be had from the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,KBJNL, IBC O&M Division,Rampur(PA)
ವಾಸಸಂಇ/ವಿಜಯಪುರ/358/ಎಂಸಿಎ/2022–23

JUNGLE LODGES AND RESORTS LTD.
(A Govt. of Karnataka Undertaking)
49, West Wing, Ground Floor, Khanija Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bengaluru-560 001.
Phone No.: 080-4055 4055 Fax: 080-40554040 Website: **www.junglelodges.com** & E-mail: **accounts@junglelodges.com**
Date: 08.08.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Jungle Lodges and Resorts Ltd., invites Request for Proposal for Selection of Water Sports Operator for Operation of White-Water River Rafting Activities at Various JLR units as per the tender document.

Tender Number	Description	EMD Amount	Last Date for Receipt of Tenders
JLRL/2022-23/RAFT/KAC/66, dated 08.08.2022	Operator for operation of White-water river rafting activities at Kali Adventure Camp,Dandeli	Rs.25,000/-	24.08.2022 12.00 Hrs
JLRL/2022-23/RAFT/BAC/68, dated 08.08.2022	Operator for operation of White-water river rafting activities at Bheemeshwari Adventure & Nature Camp, Bheemeshwari	Rs.25,000/-	24.08.2022 12.00 Hrs
JLRL/2022-23/RAFT/SNC/67, dated 08.08.2022	Operator for operation of White-water river rafting activities at Seethanadi Nature Camp,Seethanadi	Rs.25,000/-	24.08.2022 12.00 Hrs

The detailed tender documents are available in the website **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** for any further clarifications contact +91 80 23010900, +91 80 23010901, +91 80 38013000 Email Support: **hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com**

Sd/- Senior General Manager

Coal India Limited
(Maharatna Company)

All the tenders issued by CIL and its Subsidiaries for procurement of Goods, Works and Services are available on website of Coal India Ltd. **www.coalindia.in** respective Subsidiary Company, CIL e-procurement portal **https://coalindiatenders.nic.in** and Central Public Procurement Portal **https://eprocure.gov.in.** In addition, procurement is also done through GeM portal **https://gem.gov.in.**

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY
e-TENDER CALL NOTICE

Name of the work "Repair works to deteriorated Pile Structure and Deck Slab etc. in North Oil Jetty area". EMD cost : Rs.9,77,075/. Last date & time of submission of Bid 22.08.2022 up to 17:15 Hrs. For details please refer our website https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.

E.E., HWD-I
Paradip Port Authority

PPA/PR/182/22-23 dtd.11.08.2022

Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited
(Wholly Owned State Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
(CIN-U04010KA2002SGC030438)

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-procurement portal)

The Chief Engineer Ele., Bangalore Rural Area Zone, BESCOM, Bengaluru invites tender for the following through e-Procurement portal in two cover system.

Enq No & Date: CEBRAZ/SEE(O)/AEE-1/ 2022-23/ET 39 dtd 10-08-2022. **Particulars:** Providing services of 26 Nos. of sweepers for cleaning office premises to various divisions/ sub-divisions in BRAZ jurisdiction, BESCOM for a period of **12 months. Approx Amount put to tender : Rs. 58,98,631/-. Contract period :** One year. **Time Schedule: (1)** Bid document available on e-portal: **12-08-2022. (2)** Last date for submission of bid document: **29-08-2022 upto 17:00 hrs. (3)** Date and time of opening technical bid: **02-09-2022 @ 11:00 hrs. (4)** EMD shall be paid: **Rs. 1,17,973/-.** The details regarding participation in the tender can be obtained through e-procurement portal from the website **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **12-08-2022.** Aspiring bidders need to register on e-procurement portal. All the payments such as tender processing fee, EMD etc. shall be made through e-payment mode. Further any clarification contact help desk 080-68948777 and 080 46010000 Or **E-mail: hphelpdesk.blr@rteservices.com**

Sd/- Chief Engineer, Electy BRAZ, BESCOM, No. 1-4, 5th Floor, Rajajinagar IT Park, Bangalore-44

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Possession Notice

Rule 8 (1) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Canara Bank,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Sec 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices on below mentioned date calling upon the borrowers/ guarantors, to repay the amount mentioned in the notices on below mention **within 60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices. The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notices are hereby given to the borrowers/guarantors and public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rules on **10th day of August 2022.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the below mentioned properties will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank,** for the amounts as mentioned below, and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1. **Name of the Borrower: Mr. V. Krishnamurthy** S/o. Venkataramanappa, **Co- applicant : Smt. Ramakka** W/o. Venkataramanappa V. **Guarantors: Smt. Jankamma** R/o. Ashoka Nagara, **Smt. Manjula** W/o. Amar, **Ms. Pramila** D/o. Venkateshappa, **Mrs. Saraswathi** W/o. Subramani and **Mr. Deelip Kumar** S/o. Venkataramanappa
   Demand Notice Date : 21.04.2022
   Outstanding Amount : Rs.11,96,271.58 (Rupees Eleven Lakhs ninety six Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy One and Paise Fifty Eight Only) and interest thereon.
   Description of the Immovable Properties : All that piece and parcel of property situated on Municipal Khata No. 1663/ic/3895/135/ 1/135/2/136 PID No. 512-15A, 3rd Division 9th Ward Mandibele Road, (Sugnananagar), Vijayapura, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rurl District, admeasuring 310.017311 square meters along with house with RCC moulded roof, having built up area of 143.442232 sqm. Bounded on East:Krishnaveni's Property, West by: Krishnaveni's Property and Road, North : Road, South : Rangappa's Property.
   Title Owners:Shri. V. Krishnamurthy (Applicant), **Smt. Ramakka** (Co-applicant), **Smt. V. Manjula, Smt. V. Pramila, Smt.Saraswathi, Sri. V Deelip Kumar, Smt. V. Janakamma (Guarantors)**
2. **Name of the Borrower: Mr.Thirumalappa N.,** S/o. Mr. Narayanappa
   Demand Notice Date :27.05.2022
   Outstanding Amount :Rs.10,91,999.41 (Rupees Ten Lakhs Ninety One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety Nine and Paise Forty One Only) and interest thereon.
   Description of the Immovable Properties : All the piece and parcel of Khatha No. 51/A/42/B, Ramanahalli Village, Nallur Grama Panchayath, Channarayapatna Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring East to West 9.14 mtrs (30 feet) and North to South 12.19 mtrs =111.48 sq. mtrs. Bounded on : East by : Property belongs to Hanumanthappa, West by : Property belongs to Narayanappa, North by : Kaluve, South by : Road.
   Title Owners:Mr.Thirumalappa N.,

Place : Bengaluru
Date : 10.08.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
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MAHATMA PHULE RENEWABLE ENERGY AND INFRASTRUCTURE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED (MAHAPREIT) Invites Online Applications for Request for Qualification (RFQ) as A Selection Procedure of Eligible Contractors / Bidder, for Construction of **DIGITECH PARK AND DATA CENTER** Project on EPC Basis. Last Date of Submission of RFQ - 16/09/2022
For additional details, please visit **www.mahapreit.in**

Executive Director (Admin)

TAMIL NADU CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION
HEAD OFFICE, CHENNAI - 10.

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER (SHORT TERM)

e-tenders are invited from the eligible contractors for Construction of Semi covered shed with plinth platform of 10,000 M.T (10x1000 M.T) capacity in TNCSC campus at Gurupuram Village in Uthukottai Taluk in Thiruvallur District.

e-Tender Notice No :-CED6/013906/2022-1, dt.11.08.2022.

Last date and time for Online Submission:- 25.08.2022 up to 2.00 P.M
Downloading by Free of Cost:- From 16 .08.2022 to 25.08.2022 up to 2.00 P.M
Last date for receiving physical document :- 26.08.2022 up to 2.00 P.M (E.M.D only)
Date of Opening of Online tender :- 26.08.2022 at 2.30 P.M
For further details please visit website:- www.tnenders.gov.in

DIPR/3744/Tender/2022

Sd/S. PRABHAKAR
Managing Director

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಮುಖ್ಯಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್, ವಿಜಯನಗರ. ಎಂ.ಪಿ. ಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ನಗರ,
ಹೊಸಪೇಟೆ –583201 ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 9480855005
ಇಮೇಲ್:ceozpvijayanagara@gmail.com

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಜಿ.ಪಂ.ವಿ/ಆಡಳಿತ/ಹೊರಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ/1/2022–23/ ದಿನಾಂಕ:10–08–2022.

2022–23ನೇ ಸಾಲಿಗೆ ವಿಜಯನಗರಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿಕಛೇರಿಯ ಹಾಗೂ ಹೊಸಪೇಟೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಹರಪನಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಹಗರಿಬೊಮ್ಮನಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಹಡಗಲಿ, ಕೂಡ್ಲಿಗಿ ಮತ್ತುಕೊಟ್ಟೂರುತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿಕಛೇರಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಖಾಲಿ ಇರುವಗಣಕಯಂತ್ರ ನಿರ್ವಾಹಕರು, ವಾಹನ ಚಾಲಕರು ಮತ್ತುಗ್ರೂಪ್ 'ಡಿ' ಹುದ್ದೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊರ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲದಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯುವಕುರಿತು.

Through e-procurement portal: 1. ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: **ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಜಿ.ಪಂ.ವಿ/ ಆಡಳಿತ/ ಹೊರಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ/ 1/ 2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10–08–2022.** 2. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ದಸ್ತಾವೇಜು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ನಲ್ಲಿಅಪ್ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **11–08–2022.** 3. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಮೊತ್ತ: **8525617/–(ಎಂಭತ್ತೈದು ಲಕ್ಷದಇಪ್ಪತ್ತೈದು ಸಾವಿರದಆರು ನೂರ ಹದಿನೇಳು ರೂ ಮಾತ್ರ).** 4. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ: **128000/–(ಒಂದು ಲಕ್ಷದಇಪ್ಪತ್ತೆಂಟು ಸಾವಿರ ಮಾತ್ರ).** 5. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **25–08–2022 ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 5.30.** 6. ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **26–08–.2022 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00.** 7. ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **01.–09–2022 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00.** 8. ಕಛೇರಿ ವಿಳಾಸ: **ಮುಖ್ಯಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ ,ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ , ವಿಜಯನಗರ ಎಂ.ಪಿ. ಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ನಗರ , ಹೊಸಪೇಟೆ –583201**

ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ **https://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ಈ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/–ಉಪ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತಿ ವಿಜಯನಗರ.
ಡಿಐಪಿಆರ್/ಹೊಸಪೇಟೆ/90/ಎಂಸಿಎ/2022–23

महा मेट्रो

MAHARASHTRA METRO RAIL CORPORATION LTD.
(A joint venture of Govt. of India & Govt. of Maharashtra)
PUNE METRO RAIL PROJECT
101, The Orion, Opposite Don Bosco Youth Centre, Koregaon Park, Pune - 411001. Telephone: 020-26051072
E-mail: tenders.pmrp@mahametro.org | www.punemetrorail.org

PUNE METRO

Tender Notice No. P1PD-09/2022 Dated: 12.08.2022

Name of the Work: Licensing of Co-Branding Rights of Select Seven (7) Metro Stations of Reach-01 & Reach-02 of Pune Metro Rail Project for a period of 05 years.

Cost of Documents: INR 47,200/- (Rupees Forty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Only) non-refundable (inclusive of applicable taxes) though e-payment by Debit Card/Credit Card/Net banking, as per procedure given in e-tender portal.

Interested bidders may visit Pune Metro Rail website www.punemetrorail.org or download the bidding documents and obtain further details regarding the tender from our e-tender portal https://mahametrorail.etenders.in from **17:00 Hrs. on 12/08/2022.**

Executive Director
(Procurement & Contracts),
MAHA-METRO

Maha Metro, Greenest Metro

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(N)/EE(O)/AE/F- 82(8)/22-23/4776-78 Date: 10.08.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(E-PROCUREMENT MODE ONLY)

KPTCL invites bid against enquiry no: **KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/ BMAZ(N)/ EE(O)/AE/22-23/EPR-15/CALL-3 Dtd: 15.06.2022 for "Increasing the vertical clearance of existing 66kV Peenya DG plant 3&4 DC line between location No.50&51, near Sambram college, Vinayaka nagara, Bengaluru by replacing existing 3 nos of towers by 66kV NBT KPTCL design towers, coming under the jurisdiction of TLM Peenya section, TLM sub division, Rajajinagar, TL & SS Division, KPTCL, SRS Peenya, Bengaluru-58 on total turnkey basis"** coming under jurisdiction of BMAZ North Circle, Bengaluru.

The Detailed Notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on or after **12.08.2022** to https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in with hyper Link 'e procurement – KPTCL' or to https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Elecl.,Tr(M), BMAZ North Circle, KPTCL, Office Complex, Ground Floor, A.R. Circle, Bengaluru-09, Telefax : 080-22386686-85

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಕಾರವಾರ, ಉತ್ತರ ಕನ್ನಡ
ದೂರವಾಣಿ: 08382–220556 ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್: 08382–220795 ಇ–ಮೇಲ್: predkarwar@gmail.com
ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ:ಪಂರಾ.ಇಂ/ಕಾ/ಪಿಬಿ–1/BCWD/2022–23/392 ದಿ: 10.08.2022

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ–08/2022–23 (ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು, ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕಾರವಾರ ಇವರಿಂದ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನವೀಕೃತ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತ ಹಾಗೂ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎನ್‌ರೋಲ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆದ ನವೀಕೃತ ನೋಂದಾಯಿಸಿದ ಅರ್ಹ ಹಾಗೂ ಇ–ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಿಂದ ನೋಂದಾಯಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ವರ್ಗಗಳ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ ಅಧೀನದ ವಸತಿ ನಿಲಯದ ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಕೊಠಡಿ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಲೆಕ್ಕಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆಯಡಿಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಖರೀದಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಕಾನೂನು ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಯಮಾವಳಿ 2000 ಹಾಗೂ **Standard Tender Document** ನ **KW-IV** ರ ತತ್ಸಂಬಂಧ ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾದ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಆದೇಶಗಳನ್ವಯ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಆಡಳಿತ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಅಥವಾ ವೆಬ್ ಸೈಟ್ **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನುಳಿದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಖಚಿತಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿವೆ.

ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಹೆಸರು: (1) ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ವರ್ಗಗಳ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ ಅಧೀನದ ವಸತಿ ನಿಲಯದ ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ ಕೊಠಡಿ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿ ಕುಮಟಾ ತಾಲೂಕಿನ ಮೆಟ್ರಿಕ್ ನಂತರದ ಬಾಲಕೀಯರ ವಸತಿ ನಿಲಯ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ (BCWD-2499) (INDENT-92037), ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ: **ರೂ. 194.80 ಲಕ್ಷ,** ಮುಂಗಡ ಠೇವಣಿ: ರೂ. 292300.00, ಕಾಲಮಿತಿ: 9 ತಿಂಗಳು (ಮಳೆಗಾಲ ಹೊರತುಪಡಿಸಿ)

(1) ಪ್ಯಾಕೇಜ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಶೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್–ಬಿಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು Technical Bid ನ್ನು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ತುಂಬಿ ಮರಳಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10.08.2022** ರಿಂದ **18.08.2022 ರ ಸಂಜೆ 16.30** ಘಂಟೆವರೆಗೆ (2) ಪ್ಯಾಕೇಜ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ Technical Bid ನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 19.08.2022 ಸಂಜೆ 16.31** ಘಂಟೆಗೆ (3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕವನ್ನು ತಾಂತ್ರೀಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಶಸ್ವಿಯಾದ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಗೆ ನಂತರದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

DIPR/KWR/MCA/305/22-23 dt. 10.08.2022

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರು,
ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಕಾರವಾರ

SHRIRAM HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

SHRIRAM HOUSING FINANCE

Reg.Off.: Office No.123, Angappa Naicken Street, Chennai-600001
Head Office: Level 3, Wockhardt Towers, East Wing C-2 Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai 400 051.
Website: www.shriramhousing.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the authorised officer of Shriram Housing Finance Limited (SHFL) under the provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (said Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued demand notices to the Borrowers details of which are mentioned in the table below to repay the amount mentioned in the said demand notices.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notices are hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of SHFL has taken the Symbolic possession of the mortgaged properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules, on this **11th day of August 2022.**

Borrower Name and address	Amount due as per Demand Notice	Description of Property
1. MR. RATHNAIAH 2. MRS. ANNAPOORNA DEEPIKA S L **R/at: No. 105/4, 1st Cross, I Main Road, S R Compound, Arekere Gate, B G Road, Behind BPL Factory, Bangalore – 560 076** **Also at: MR. RATHNAIAH, Sridevi Counsumer Co-operative Society, No. 7/8, 3rd Main Road, Marenahalli, Jayanagar, 5th Block, Bangalore – 560 071**	Rs. 1,23,59,778/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Three Lakhs Fifty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Eight Only) in respect of Loan Account No. SLPHBGLR0000919 as on 21.05.2022 and Rs. 26,61,540/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Sixty One Thousand Five Hundred and Forty Only) in respect of Loan Account No. SLPHBGLR0001289 as on 18.05.2022 with further interest at the contractual rate, within 60 days from the receipt of said notice. Notice dated: 21.05.2022	All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No. 4, Khatha No.341/105/4, Property No. 105/4, Khatha No. 105, Situated at 1st Cross, S.R. Compound, Arekere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently comes under the jurisdictional of BBMP Ward No. 193 – Arakere, Bangalore, measuring East to West (65+58)/2 ft. and North to South 30 ft. totally measuring 1,845 Sq. ft and bounded on: East by: Private Property. West by: Road. North by: Site No. 3. South by: Site No. 5.

This notice is also hereby to caution the general public at large that the authorized officer of SHFL is in the lawful Symbolic Possession of the immovable property mentioned herein above and the Borrowers or any person shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate any of the above mentioned secured assets referred to in this notice, without prior written consent of SHFL.

Place: Bangalore
Date : 11-08-2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Shriram Housing Finance Limited

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
No.97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020
Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720.Fax: 080 25943729/3730 Email Id: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

Demand Notice to Borrowers and legal heirs of Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s))

UNDER SUB SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS & ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED "ACT")

At the request of the below mentioned Borrower(s), the Erstwhile State Bank of Mysore (Presently State Bank of India), through its **R.M.V Vilas Extension Branch**, Bangalore, has extended credit facilities to them by way of financial assistance against various assets creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said credit facilities and the security agreement(s)/ document(s) executed by them are furnished in Demand Notice dated **19.07.2022** served on them. The borrower(s) have also created mortgage charge over their respective properties by way of deposit of original title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank securing their corresponding loans. The relevant particulars of the said secured assets are also specifically furnished hereunder against each borrower(s). As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance / credit facilities of the said borrower(s) have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non-performing Asset (NPA) on **30.04.2022** in accordance with the directives/ guidelines issued by **Reserve Bank of India** consequent to the default committed by the borrower(s) in repayment of principal debt and interest thereon. As the **Demand Notices** sent to the borrower(s) by registered AD post calling upon them to repay their entire loan dues within 60 days of the notice were un-served/not acknowledged, this notice is now being published in the leading newspapers after affixing a copy of the notice at conspicuous place of the working place/residence of the borrowers/Mortgagors//legal heirs of the borrower as per the provisions of the said Act.

1. **Name and Address of the Borrowers & Legal heirs of Late Sri T.M.C. Basanna : 1) Ms. Bindu Basanna** D/o Late. T.M.C Basanna, **2) Smt. Rudrani Basanna** W/o Late. Sri T.M.C Basanna Both are residing at: No.302, 3rd Floor, Devansh Villa, CHS Ltd, Dr.Raghunath Road, Bandra West, Off. S.V Road, Bandra, Mumbai-400050, And also at:No.37, Narayana Krupa, 1st Floor, Central Street, Kumara Park West, Bangalore-560020.
   A/c.No: Suraksha-64191398979 HTL-64191398695
   Outstanding Loan amount as per Demand Notice: Rs.1,24,38,405/- (Rupees One crore twenty four lakhs thirty eight thousand four hundred and five only) as on 19.07.2022 and future interest and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. thereon
   Description of the Property : All that immovable property being **Flat No.302**, on the **Third Floor, admeasuring 719 Sq.Ft.**, Carpet Area inclusive of Balcony, along with one stilt car parking, in the building known as **DEVANSH VILLA** Co-operative Housing Society Ltd., No.4 situated at Plot No.24, TPS No.2, Dr.Raghunath Road, Off S.V Road and St.Martins Road, Bandra West, Mumbai-400050 and the plot bearing C.T.S No. F/1158, F/1159 and F/1160, Village Bandra, Taluka Andheri, within the municipal limits of H Ward and within the Registration District and Sub-District of Mumbai City and Mumbai Suburban at Andheri. The Building comprises of Ground + Seven Floors with liftand is completed in the year 2000 flat held in the name of **Smt. Rudrani Basanna, Miss. Bindu Basanna and Late Sri TMC Basanna.**

If the borrower/mortgagor/legal heirs of the borrower fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice/publication, the Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 and other applicable provisions of the SARFAESI Act. The borrower/mortgagor /legal heirs of the borrower is also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 of the said Act, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining prior written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's rights to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings as it deems necessary under any other applicable Provisions of Law. The borrowers/mortgagors/legal heirs of the borrower attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The undersigned is the Authorised Officer of the Bank and is empowered to issue this notice and exercise powers under section 13 of the said Act.

Place: Bengaluru
Date :11.08.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India,
RACPC, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Smt. Pillamma W/o. late Narayanappa,** aged about 68 years, R/at Karahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District & others have filed the above petition for the death certificate of one **Late. Narayanappa S/o Late Venkatashamappa, who died on 02.12.1978** at Karahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, if any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble 2nd Additional Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing **on 9/9/2022 at 11.00 A.M in Crl Mis.No.208/2022.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Vasanthkumar .S, Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Sri. Muniyappa S/o Venkataswamappa,** aged about 77 years, R/at Karahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District & others have filed the above petition for the death certificate of one **late.Gowramma W/o Muniyappa, who died on 20.01.2000** at Karahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, if any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble 2nd Additional Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing on **9/9/2022 at 11.00 A.M in Crl Mis.No.207/2022.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Vasanthkumar .S, Advocate

IN THE COURT OF THE Vth Addl CITY CIVIL AND SESSION JUDGE AT BENGALORE (CCH-13) O. S. NO.15/2021

BETWEEN : Shoonya. M.
(Previously called as Shashikanth.M.)
Aged About 28 years S/O.D.N. Muniraju, R/At No.484, 2nd Main Road, 11th Cross, Muneshwara Layout Laggere, Bangalore-560058. **: Plaintiff**

AND : The Director Department of Pre-University Education And others. **: Defendants**

Notice to Defendant No. 2 & 7 by way of Paper Publication

2. The Chairman, Counsel for the Indian School, Certificate Examinations, New Delhi.
7. Vice Chancellor Jain University, Jain Global Campus, Ramanagar. Karnataka State - 5621 12. **: Defendants**

Whereas, the Plaintiff above named had filed a suit for Declaring that the plaintiff name as SHOONYA. M. in future for all records and practical purposes. Direct the Defendants Authorities to change the name of the Plaintiff as SHOONYA. M. from SHASHIKANTH.M. forthwith as his official name in future for all the practical purposes. Thereby allow the Plaintiff to change his birth certificate, school and college records, marks cards and in other records which are generally used in Government and Private organizations etc., forthwith. Kindly permit the Plaintiff to publish the change of name in the Official Gazette of the Government of Karnataka. To grant such other relief/s as this Hon'ble Court deems fit and proper to grant in the circumstances of the case in the interest of Justice and Equity against the defendants before the City Civil Judge at Bangalore (C.C.H. No. 13) in O.S. No. 15/ 2021, the defendant No-2 & 7 they are avoiding the court Notice and RPAD purposefully, hence, the defendant 2 & 7 hereby directed to appear before this Honble court either in person or through the pleader on the 16th day of September 2022 at 11.00 a.m. to defend the above case.

Failing which, the case will be heard ex-parte.

Signed under my hand and seal of the court, this the 6th day of August 2022.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Assistant Registrar
City Civil Court Bangalore

Advocate for Plaintiff : P.V. Nataraja Gowda, Advocates, at No.122-k, 1st floor, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

ULSOOR Branch
No: 18, Cambridge Road,
ULSOOR, Pin – 560008,
Bengaluru, Ph: 9483530791
e-mail: cb0791@canarabank.com

NOTICE TO BORROWER/GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank,** ULsoor Branch, Bengaluru under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2)of Chapter-3 of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notice/s on below mentioned date, calling upon the following borrower/s/ Guarantor/s to repay the dues within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

1.Name of the Borrower/Joint Account Holder : 1. Dr S Syamala Reddy, 17/6-1 Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bangalore-560008, **2. Shri Srinivas Reddy,** 17/6-1 Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bangalore -560008

Sl. No	Loan Number	Nature of Loan/ Limit	Date of Sanction	Amount
1	0791619000196	Housing Loan	28.03.2014	19,20,000.00
2	0791606000003	Canara Rent	07.06.2017	1,53,00,000.00
3	0791606000004	Canara Rent	30.06.2017	36,00,000.00
4	0791605000016	Canara Mortgage	06.03.2018	75,00 000.00

Total Liability as on 05.07.2022 : **Rs. 2,32,47,369.00** + interest together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Details of Security Assets : Description of entire Property:

PROPERTY No.1: A) SGR Towers, All that piece and parcel of Immovable property bearing BBMP Khatha No.298 PID No.72-8- 298, Domlur Layout Bangalore within all 2440 Square feet building , measuring North to South 40 feet and east to West 61 Feet and bounded on: East By: Road, West By :Site No.275, North By: Site No.297, South By: Site No.299.

B) Site No 299 measuring east to west 60ft and north to south 40ft.Situated at formed city improvement trust boards in the Domlur Extn, Bengaluru presently within the limits of BBMP and bounded on : East By: Road, West By:Site No.276, North By:Site No.298, South By: Site No.300

Name of the Title Deed Holder : Dr. S. Syamala Reddy

PROPERTY No.2: All that piece and parcel of property of residential building bearing No.17/6, new no.17/6/1,PID#75-44-17/6-1,Situated at 2nd cross, Gouthampura, Cambridge Layout, Ulsoor, Bangaluru - 560008, Karnataka, Site measuring E-W= 40sft 8: N-S = 40sft, in all measuring 1600sft with residential building with GF(840SFT) + FF (900 SFT)+SF(200SFT)building measuring 1940 SFT, standing in the name of Dr. Shyamala Reddy W/o Dr. S G Reddy and bounded on: East by : Property Sy No.17/5 belonging to Sri Achaiah, West by : Portion of the property No. 17/6, North by :Road, South by: Portion of the property No.17/6

Name of the Title Deed Holder : Dr. S. Syamala Reddy

PROPERTY No.3: All that piece and parcel of property of residential Flat BDA Flat No: GJ B3 602 Gunjar, Bangalore.

Name of the Title Deed Holder : Dr. S. Syamala Reddy

Date of NPA: 05.07.2022 Demand Notice Date:06.07.2022

The above borrowers committed default of repayment of loans as above and the loans are duly secured by way of mortgage of property described as above and were classified as Non Performing Assets on various dates mentioned as above. The Bank issued Registered notice to all the above borrower/Guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, (SARFAESI Act) calling upon them to repay the outstanding amount. We now call upon to pay the above mentioned liability with further interest and cost accrued till date within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which, Bank will be constrained to exercise its rights of enforcement of security interest as per Section 13(4) (a) to (b) of SARFAESI act 2002 against the secured assets given in the schedule above. The above borrower/s in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the above properties and restrained from dealing in term of Section 13 (13) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank for the accounts mentioned above with further interest and cost, expenses thereon.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 11.08.2022

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure - West Division, N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560002.

No: EE/RI-West/TEND/07/2022-23 Date: 11-08-2022

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT) - (SHORT TERM)

(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure - West Division, BBMP, Bengaluru invites tenders from eligible Contractors for the work detailed below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approx. Amount Put to Tender (Rs. In Lakhs)	EMD (Rs. in Lakhs)
1	Restoration of Road Cut Portion by BWSSB / BSNL / BESCOM / KPTCL in Arterial and Sub Arterial Roads of Govindarajanagar, Chamarajpet, Rajajinagar, Mahalakshmi Layout, Malleshwaram and Gandhinagar Constituency Area of RI-West Division (for the year 2020-21 (November-2020-July-21)	**106.00**	**2.00**

Calendar of Events: 1) Tender Documents may be downloaded from the GOK e-Procurement Website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in from 12-08-2022. 2)** Date of Pre Bid Meeting on **19-08-2022 at 15.00 Hrs. at the Office of the Chief Engineer, Road Infrastructure, 4th Floor, Annex Building-3, BBMP Head Office, Bengaluru - 560002. 3)** Tenders must be Submitted online through e-Procurement Portal **on or before 16.00 Hrs. on 26-08-2022. 4)** Technical Bids will be Opened on **29-08-2022 at 16.30 Hrs. at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure-West Division, Annex Building, No.3, Room No.101, 1st Floor, N.R. Square, BBMP.** Further details can be had from the above office

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure-West Division, BBMP.

PAY DEVELOPMENT CHARGES, HELP TO DEVELOP BENGALURU

COVID-19. DO NOT PANIC, BE AWARE

Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

STATE BANK OF INDIA
Stressed Asset Recovery Branch (Code No.05173)
No.11/90, 3rd Floor, Near Old Shivaji Theatre,
Opp Trust Well Hospital, J.C. Road, Bengaluru -560 002
Tel:080-25943678 / 25943663, Fax No:080-25943664
Email ID: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

A/c No. TL 64118616012 TL 64143804468 WCTL 38384740810 WCTL 39007057939 GECL 39748895356

WHEREAS, The Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **26.05.2022** and the said notice was also published in the " New Indian Express" and "Kannadaprabha" newspapers dated 04.06.2022 calling upon the Borrower:**M/s.Television Cultural and Sports Club** and the Guarantors: **(1) Sri.K.C.Subramani Raju** S/o Sri.Changa Mandadi **(2) Sri.Ravi Kiran** S/o Late K.V.Prasad **(3) Sri.Kitty S** S/o Sri.K S M Lokur **(4) Sri.Shashi Kumar. C.R** and **(5) Sri.Guruprasad M** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.5,08,47,612.00** (Rupees Five Crore Eight Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Twelve Only) as on 24.05.2022 with future interest at contractual rate from 25.05.2022 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/mortgager/guarantors having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgager/guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned, being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru has taken possession of the property, described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules 2002,on **10.08.2022.**

The borrower/mortgager/guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India for an amount of **Rs.5,11,78,005/-** (Rupees Five Crore Eleven Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand Five Only) as on 09.08.2022 and further interest at contractual rate from 10.08.2022 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

The borrower/mortgager/guarantor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Leased Property (CA Site) allotted by BDA bearing Site No.8, Bharath HBCS, Sy.No.17 & 18, measuring East to West Bit (1) 30.40 Bit (2) (30.40+42)2 Mtrs and North to South Bit (1) 37.00 Bit (2) (86.00+60.00)2 Mtrs, in all measuring 3767.40 Sq.Mtrs with Club Building consisting of Stilt, Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor, Third Floor, Fourth Floor and Terrace Floor with super built up area of 48733 sq. Ft. situated at BHBCS Layout, Uttarahalli, Bangalore and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Road, North by : Road, South by : Road

Place:Bengaluru
Date: 10.08.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
STATE BANK OF INDIA
Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Authorised Officer's Details:
Name: **Sri. Avinash Kumar**
E-mail ID: sbi.21014@sbi.co.in
Mobile No: **8451944563**
Landline No.(Office): 080-25453570/71

Authorised Officer's address:
SME Centre, Banaswadi (21014),
Building No.13, 2A, Muni Reddy Layout,
Horamavu Main Road, Banaswadi,
Bengaluru - 560043.
Tel No: 080-25453570/71
E-Mail: sbi.21014@sbi.co.in.

APPENDIX-IV-A

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]

Sale Notice for sale of immovable property

E-Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Asset under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers/Mortgager that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, the Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is"**, **"As is what is"**, and **"Whatever there is"** basis on **20.09.2022** for recovery of **Rs.56,97,679/-** (Rupees Fifty Six Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Nine Only) as on 07.08.2022. You are also liable to pay future interest from 08.08.2022 at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges, etc., due to the Bank, the Secured Creditor from the Borrower: **M/s. Lakshmi Venkateshwara Diggers Prop: Sri.V.Manjunath** S/o Sri.Venkatappa.

The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit and Bid Increment Amount will be as under:

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount
1.	**Rs. 81,00,000/-**	**Rs. 8,10,000/-**	**Rs. 80,000/-**

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/SMECB/AK/2022-23/02
Name of the title deed holder: Sri.V.Manjunath S/o Sri.Venkatappa

All the piece and parcel of the portion property, bearing No.291/3, Katha/ House list Khatha No.467/2, site/plot No.10, situated at Subbayyanapalya, within Banaswadi Panchayathi, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now comes under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Ward No. 87, New Ward No.27, Municipal New No.16, in PID No. 87-199-16, Muniswamappa Road, PNS Layout, Bangalore, measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 30 feet, totally measuring 1200 sq. ft., and bounded on the East By : Road, West By : Private Property, North By : Property No.25, South By : Property No.9 of Narayan

Consisting of 9 squares of RCC roofed on ground, first, constructed with blocks and cement, main door teak wood and windows aluminum with vitrified flooring, with all types of basic amenities.

The sale shall be subject to provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,2002.

For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, SME Centre, Banaswadi, Bengaluru - 560043. Tel No: 080-25453570/71 or Bank's approved Resolution Agent, Sri Devi Resolution Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore Representative: Sri Manjunath 9986363038.

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date: 10.08.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
State Bank of India
SME Centre Banaswadi, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby notified that one of our client proposes to sell the property described in the schedule herein my client **Smt. Abidunnisa** residing at 123, Mothinagar, Kalasipalyam, Bengaluru whereas she had the documents of the scheduled property vide original sale deed No. BSG-1-07142-2004-05 dated 17-03-2005 stored in the CD number BSGD46, in the office of Sub-Registrar Basavanagudi Bengaluru.

The Above mentioned documents has been lost/misplaced by my client Smt. Abidunnisa lodged Police complaint on 08-08-2022, Police unit: Bangalore City, dated 08/08/2022 U/S 155 CRPC lost article report serial number 288472. The said property is absolutely free from all sorts of encumbrances in this regards a complaint has also been lodged before the Jurisdictional police station Bangalore

Any other persons having any claims, charges, interest rights over the said property may lodge their objections/claims with documentary evidence within stipulated dates. The finder of the aforesaid original sale deed is requested to hand it over to the aforesaid my client **Smt. Abidunninsa.**

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing old No. 123, Municipal No. 17 New Corporation No. 11, Situated at **Mothinagar, Murugesh Pillai street Kalasipalyam, Bangalore 560002,** Ward No. 47 east to west 34 feet and North to South 30 feet in all measuring **1020 square feet** together with residential building compromising of Ground and First Floor with RCC Roof having built-up area of 5 square feet with red-oxide flooring and doors and windows made in Jungle wood with all amenities and bounded on:

East by : Adbul Salam's House, West by : Abdul Khader's House, North by : Adam Sahib's House, South by: Road

Sd/-

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